

REST ROOMS FULL

550 REGISTERED THERE YESTERDAY—MORE WERE PRESENT.

TO RAISE YEAR'S FUNDS

Federation Hopes to Make Enough at Fair to Pay All Expenses—Asks Aid.

Yesterday again proved the value of the new rest rooms. By actual count 550 women registered there during the day, and Mrs. Casteel said that fully one-third of the women who used the rooms failed to register. They kept coming in such numbers that she could not get the rooms closed when the regular hour came, but was forced to keep them open until after 9 o'clock at night.

The average daily attendance outside the opening day and yesterday has been about fifty. With Chautauqua only a week off and the fair coming immediately after that, Mrs. Casteel expects the rooms to be pretty well crowded for the next three weeks.

No permanent fund for the maintenance of the rooms has been provided as yet, and the club women of Maryville have taken the responsibility of supporting them. In order to avoid the necessity of calling upon the people to support different functions throughout the year for the purpose of raising this money, the club women are going to try to make enough from their lunch counter at the fair to cover the year's expenses. To do this, they send the following appeal to the women of the county:

"Now that the rest rooms are built and furnished, the problem of maintaining them is before the public. The salary of the matron and incidental expenses must be met each month.

"The City Federation of Women's Clubs has undertaken to conduct the restaurant at the Nodaway county fair, September 1 to 5, hoping by this one effort to obtain enough money to maintain the rooms for a year. The task is a large one and the federation would not have assumed it except that it felt that it could count on the support of the women of Nodaway county.

"The pride and interest taken in the opening of the rooms last Saturday was sufficient guarantee that the women of the county would do their part whether members of the federation or not. To this end the federation now comes before the public and asks for its loyal support. The women of both town and county will be asked to help. Will you not respond cheerfully to the call, whether it is to serve on committees, to cook at home, or to work on the grounds?

"Let this be your motto when the president or any of her assistants call on you for help: Here am I; use me."

"THE FEDERATION."

CELEBRATION DAY WAS ORDERLY

Police Had Little to Do Yesterday in Handling the Big Crowd—But Two Cases in Court.

For the large crowd that was in Maryville yesterday, the day was very quiet as far as the police were concerned. The people were orderly and caused no disturbances. Two arrests for drunkenness were made.

C. W. Tucker was arraigned in police court yesterday, pleaded guilty to the charge of drunkenness and was fined \$2 and costs. O. S. Webb and Arthur Hawkins were brought into court this morning and fined \$5 and costs each.

A BASE BALL TOURNAMENT.

Four Good Teams to Play in Hopkins on August 12, 13 and 14.

A base ball tournament is to be held at Hopkins on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, August 12, 13 and 14, and \$350 will be given in prizes. Beside the Hopkins team, Maryville, Sheridan and Lenox will likely play. The teams have not as yet been fully decided on, but they guarantee teams to be here that will play good, clean ball.

On Extensive Northern Trip.

Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Coe left last night for a visit of several days with relatives in Chicago after which they will proceed on a northern lake trip. They will visit relatives in New York City and will then go on to Montreal, Canada, visiting places along the St. Lawrence and will return by the way of Niagara Falls and Boston, spending about a month.

Comets Defeat Atchison 13-9.

The ball game yesterday between the Maryville Comets and a colored team from Atchison, Kas., resulted in a 13-9 victory for the Comets.

MR. WESTBROOK'S OFFICE HOURS

City School Superintendent Back from Columbia and May be Seen at the High School Building.

Superintendent W. M. Westbrook will keep office hours from 9:30 till 11:30 o'clock every morning until the opening of school September 7. Mr. Westbrook will be at the high school building to see any one about school matters, especially persons who want to get their credits for entrance into colleges and universities.

Mr. Westbrook returned from Columbia, Mo., last night, where he had been doing graduate work in the summer session of the state university.

BAND TO PLAY AT BALL GAMES.

Sunday Concerts Discontinued Because of Poor Support—All Stars Contract For Music at Riffe's Park.

Because of the poor support given to the Sunday band concerts at the Normal park this summer, they were discontinued last week. A plan had been proposed to resume the concerts, but to hold them in the Franklin school. It was thought that because of the nearness to town the concerts would be better supported under this plan.

However, the All Stars have offered to contract with the band for music at the Sunday games at Riffe's park, and the band will play there next Sunday.

POLK LOOKER DIES.

Aged Man Succumbs to Illness of Several Years—Funeral Tomorrow.

Polk Looker, aged 75, one of the early settlers of Nodaway county, and a brother of John C. and David Looker died last night at St. Francis hospital. Mr. Looker had been in failing health for several years suffering with a complication of troubles. Five weeks ago he was taken to St. Francis hospital for treatment.

The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock at the residence of his brother, John C. Looker, 1520 East Halsey, conducted by the Rev. R. L. Finch, pastor of the First Christian church.

Mr. Looker was born in Ohio but came to this county when a very young man. He settled on a farm near Graham and made his home there until after the death of his wife when he came to Maryville and made his home with his brother, J. C. Looker.

He is survived by three sisters and one brother, beside the two brothers living in this city. One brother is a resident of Kansas and the sisters live in Idaho.

RECORD TIME HORSE TO BE HERE

Miss Sly Equalled World's Half-Mile Running Record at Chillicothe—Broke State Record Yesterday.

The Chillicothe Evening Tribune tells of the performance of Miss Sly, a running mare, at the fair there this week, in which she equalled the world's half-mile record. Miss Sly is entered for the races at the Nodaway county fair the first week in September. The mare broke the state record yesterday, and the story of her other race as told by the Chillicothe paper is:

Miss Sly, the bay mare owned by Dr. J. W. Cookley & Son of Creston, Ia., gave one of the most remarkable performances ever witnessed over any half-mile track yesterday at the Chillicothe fair grounds. Miss Sly equalled the world's record on a one-half mile race course, formerly held by Brevity at Dufferin Park, Canada.

The bay mare's performance yesterday was all the more remarkable owing to the fact that she was off a trifle bad and the jockey's saddle turned completely around her side before she had gone one-fourth the distance. This placed the jockey in such a position that he could not give her much assistance and the mare carried 112 pounds.

Few of the spectators realized that a world's record had been equalled when the race was finished. Roy Baker was the jockey, and the creditable manner in which he handled his mount contributed largely to the fine performance of Miss Sly.

To Northern Cottage.

S. G. Gillam left yesterday afternoon for Reserve, Wis., to join his son, Forest, and Eugene Yehle, who are at the Gillam cottage, at the Wismo Angling club grounds, spending a couple of weeks. On account of the ill health of her mother, Mrs. W. H. Trueblood, Mrs. Gillam will remain in the city during the summer.

Mrs. Paul Cook has returned from a two weeks' visit with relatives at Hamburg, Ia.

Harry Lett, Nodaway county, was on the St. Joseph market with cattle yesterday.

BREAKS HER JAW CARY SUES JUDGE

MISS MARY HUGHES, NORMAL STUDENT ASKS JOHN THORNHILL FOR \$10,000 DAMAGES

CONDITION NOT SERIOUS GRASS STARTS TROUBLE

Falls Down Four Steps and Strikes Chin On Concrete Floor—Doctors Work Three and a Half Hours.

Miss Mary Hughes, teacher of psychology in the Normal, was badly hurt this morning when she slipped on the stairs and fell four steps to the floor, cutting her chin and breaking her jaw bone.

The accident occurred a little after 9 o'clock, when assembly was letting out. When Miss Hughes slipped she was thrown forward, her chin striking the concrete floor. The fracture of the jaw bone caused her to bleed internally and at the ears. She was picked up by Prof. H. P. Swinehart and rushed to St. Francis hospital for medical attention.

Drs. Charles T. Bell, Will Wallis, Jr., and H. L. Stinson, on examining her, found that she was not critically hurt, and is in no danger from any injury to the brain. The jaw has sustained a compound fracture near the socket joints. The doctors worked three hours and a half in setting the fracture and caring for Miss Hughes. It was necessary for Dr. Stinson to pull two of her front teeth in order that the jaw could be properly wired, and to allow for the passage of a tube through which Miss Hughes will have to be fed.

Dr. Bell said this noon that he could not tell how long it would take for Miss Hughes' injuries to heal, but at the least it will be a long time.

Miss Hughes had planned to start a vacation trip after the close of the Normal school next week. She was to have traveled all through the west, going out by the southern route through the Grand Canyon, up the coast to Washington and back by the northern route.

HANDSOME ELECTRIC SIGN.

Haines Placing Big Display Sign Containing 127 Lights.

H. L. Haines received today from the Thomas Casack company a handsome electric sign, which will be placed at once over the Haines dry goods store, on North Main street.

The sign is 10 feet long by 3 feet wide, with the sign "Haines" in eight-inch letters on a background of maroon with border of dark green. The letters are white and are set with 127 incandescent bulbs, showing alike on each side and operating with a break current. The sign is placed at a cost of \$175. It will be hung extended and will be completed by Saturday.

Home to Kansas City.

Mrs. Lafa Rambo and daughter, Mrs. Webster Bear and baby of Kansas City, who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Rambo's brother, Walter Wiles, of North Mulberry street and T. A. Wiles, living north of the city, returned to their home yesterday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Walter Wiles, who will spend a few days in Kansas City.

Visiting at Pickering.

Mrs. E. L. Harrington and daughter, Thelma, of Savannah, came to Pickering Tuesday night to visit Mrs. Harrington's mother, Mrs. A. L. Morford.

CARY SUES JUDGE

NORMAL STUDENT ASKS JOHN THORNHILL FOR \$10,000 DAMAGES

GRASS STARTS TROUBLE

Plaintiff Says He Was Injured and Pained When Arrested For Being On Court House Lawn.

Daniel Cary of Bogard, Mo., a summer student in the Normal, has sued John G. Thornhill, presiding judge of the county court, for \$10,000, because the latter had him arrested for getting on the grass in the court house yard.

The trouble occurred a week ago. Judge Thornhill saw Cary lying on the grass in the court house yard and asked him to get off in accordance with the orders of the county court. All persons are forbidden to get on the grass this summer, because of the effort being made to get it started.

Cary refused to obey Mr. Thornhill's request and began to argue with him. Mr. Thornhill then had Cary arrested, and he was tried and fined before justice of the Peace Johnston.

In the complaint filed today by Cary's attorney, Warren Rogers of St. Joseph, Cary says that on July 28 he was caused to be arrested and deprived of his liberty by Judge Thornhill, and that the defendant wrongfully and maliciously, with intent to injure the plaintiff, caused the arrest of the latter, thereby making him suffer great humiliation, mental pain and bodily disfigurement.

Because of all this, Mr. Cary asks for \$10,000 damages, \$5,000 actual and \$5,000 punitive.

FARNAN UNDERGOES OPERATION.

Young Man Injured Monday Night Still in Critical State.

Will Farnan, who was seriously hurt Monday night, when he was thrown from the horse he was riding, remains in an unconscious state and in an extremely critical condition.

He underwent a spinal operation this morning and the attending physicians cannot give out any exact change in his symptoms as yet. The young man is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Farnan of near Conception. He was found in the pasture of the farm Monday evening about 7 o'clock in an unconscious and partially paralyzed state. The only solution of his injuries is that he was thrown from his horse while riding to bring in the cows.

FRANK GWINN IMPROVING.

Will Be Brought to Home at Bedison as Soon as Able.

Frank Gwinn, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Matt C. Gwinn of Bedison, who underwent an operation for appendicitis Sunday, is recovering. The young man is at the Gwinn ranch, near Denver, in Worth county, and will be brought to his parents' home at Bedison as soon as he is able to make the trip.

To Barnard Picnic.

A party composed of Henry Westfall, John M. Dawson, Wm. G. Sawyers and Fred J. Yeomans went to Barnard this afternoon to attend the picnic, which opened today.

Threshed Twenty-Four Acres of Oats.

Levi Wallace threshed twenty-four acres of oats this week which yielded 1,300 bushels.

LIBRARY GETS BUTTERFLY BOOK

Many Children Here Interested in Nature Study and Are Making Collections.

Miss Grace Langan, librarian of the Carnegie Library, received this morning Gene Stratton-Porter's book on nature study, "Moths of the Lumber-land." Many of the school children have been interested in the study of moths and butterflies this summer, reading everything the library has on the subject and making collections of well prepared specimens.

The new book has been ordered for some time. It is a large 360 page volume, illustrated with many full page photographs and water color drawings. The author does not claim to be a scientist, and in writing the book has told of her observations of moths and butterflies in a simple and untechnical way that makes the book easy to read and understand.

RAVENWOOD CARS HERE

Party of Fifty Persons Come to Boost Their Chautauqua, August 18-23.

Fourteen motor cars and a motorcycle filled with boosters of the Ravenwood Chautauqua arrived in Maryville at 12:30 o'clock today. There were fifty persons in the party, and with an eleven piece band, a speech-maker, pennants and bills they let the people know of their Chautauqua, August 18 to 23.

This will be Ravenwood's second Chautauqua, and it will be put on by the Jones Chautauqua system.

The party ate dinner here, after which the band played and the Rev. C. O. Ransford made a speech concerning the Chautauqua. At 2 o'clock the boosters left town to complete their 105-mile trip.

Leaving Ravenwood at 8 o'clock this morning, they went to Alantus, Stanberry, Clyde, New Conception, Guilford, Barnard, Arkoe, Maryville, Pickering, Hopkins, Sheridan, Parnell, Ormsburg and Harmony. They expect to reach Ravenwood at 6 o'clock.

The persons whose cars made the trip are: Henry McMullin, J. L. McMullin, Wiley H. Slagle, Charles DeLong, J. C. Patterson, S. E. Wells, Dr. D. H. Hunterston, John Midyett, A. G. Bentley, Faye Casteel, John Lewis, Carl Oglesby, I. A. Goodson, Joseph Berg, and Orren Kirkwright on the motorcycle.

VACATION FOR ST. LOUIS GIRL.

Loyal Daughters Class to Give a Good Time to Orphan Girl.

Mabel Pemberton will arrive in Maryville this evening from the Christian Orphans' home of St. Louis, to be the guest for a couple of weeks of the Loyal Daughters class of the First Christian church.

The class is composed of about twenty young ladies and is taught by Mrs. Robert Lyle Finch. They support a little girl in the home, Dorothy Pemberton, and as she was given another vacation trip, the class sent for her sister, Mabel, to give her an outing.

All of the expenses of the trip are paid by the class, and the little girl will be shown a grand good time.

Miss Smith Home.

Miss Stella Q. Smith, who has been at St. Francis hospital for the past two weeks, convalescing from an operation for appendicitis, is much improved and was brought to her home, on South Main street, this afternoon.

Returned From Western Trip.

John W. Coleman returned today from a four months' trip to the west. He visited in Boise, Idaho; Portland, Tacoma, Seattle, and Victoria, British Columbia.

Harknesses Leave On Camping Trip.

The Rev. S. D. Harkness and his family will leave tonight on a three weeks' camping trip during his vacation. They will camp at Lanning's mill, north of Ravenwood.

Edward Otis of East First street is building a fine new dwelling house on Dewey street between First and Second streets.

KILLED HIMSELF

C. E. LAWLER, FARMER, SHOT SELF IN TEMPLE LAST NIGHT.

HAD WARNED HIS WIFE

They Had Attended Celebration in Maryville—Straightened Finances the Only Reason He Gave.

Kissing his wife and two young brothers goodby, Charles E. Lawler, 24 years old, a farmer living seven and one-half miles southeast of Maryville, put a revolver to his right temple and instantly killed himself about 7:30 o'clock last night. The act was committed after he had told them he would kill himself, and following a short struggle, in which they attempted to prevent him from doing it. The only reason given for the suicide is that he was in financial straits.

Mr. Lawler and a brother about 18 years old were conducting the farm on shares. With them were living Mrs. Lawler, Mr. Lawler's mother and two younger brothers, Irwin and Glen, boys about 10 and 12 years old.

Yesterday morning Mr. Lawler got up apparently in as good spirits as ever. With his wife, Irwin and Glen he came to Maryville to attend the Emancipation day celebration, and they passed the entire day here. That evening as they drove home, he told them he would not be alive in the morning, that he was going to kill himself.

When they reached the gate, Mr. Lawler got out of the buggy and went into the house. Mrs. Lawler hurried after him and found him with a revolver in his hand. She pleaded with him to give it up, and the two boys, coming in just then, tried to take it away from him. A struggle ensued, in which Mr. Lawler left the house and went toward the barn, followed by the others. There he kissed them all goodby, put the revolver to his head and shot himself.

Mr. Lawler moved with his family to the farm, southeast of Maryville last spring, coming from a farm in Iowa, just north of Hopkins, Mo. He had been married three years. His crops had not done so well as he thought they should, and his own statement that he was short on finances is the only reason given for his act. However, suicide seems to run in his family, for his father killed himself six years ago, and his mother is now in Kansas visiting a daughter, who attempted to take her own life a few days ago by drinking poison.

Dr. Will Wallis, Jr., coroner, was called to the Lawler home immediately but did not summon a jury as the circumstances of the case proved it suicide. The funeral arrangements have not been made yet, as the family is waiting to hear from Mr. Lawler's mother.

Mr. Lawler carried \$2,000 life insurance.

THEY ATE ALL THE PIES.

Yesterday's Celebrators Were a Hungry Lot, and the Restaurant Keepers Wore Smiles.

Yesterday's celebrators were a hungry lot, and the restaurant keepers wore smiles. In addition to two dining halls fitted up for the day by the colored people, all the restaurants did a good business.

The crowd ate until late at night and almost brought a food famine upon the lunch counters. One man went the rounds about midnight trying to find a pie with which to appease his appetite, but the pies were all gone, and as nothing else would do, he went hungry.

THE ALDERMEN GO ANGLING.

City Fathers Rusticated on the Nodaway Yesterday.

The city councilmen forgot wrangling over city affairs yesterday in angling for fish in the Nodaway. The crowd included the eight aldermen, Bert Raines, Frank Garrett, Louis Gram, J. D. Ford, John Gray, Moses Hahn, Jesse Fisher and Cap Tindall, and they were taken over in autos driven by Harlan Ford and Roy Martin. They stopped at a point near Quitman and were joined by several friends from there.

To Buy New Hats.

Miss Elizabeth Ashford left this morning on a buying trip to Kansas City and St. Louis to buy fall stock for the Ashford millinery store.

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy tonight and Friday, cooler north and west portion tonight.

One Wonderful Night
Featuring FRANCIS X. BUSHMAN, Winner of Ladies World Hero Contest
The EMPIRE THEATRE
FRIDAY, AUGUST 7th

TONIGHT

DANIEL FROHMAN PRESENTS HOUSE PETERS IN
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A DRAMATIC CONFLICT OF HEARTS AND SWORDS
IN MOTION PICTURES
THE EMPIRE THEATRE

TONIGHT

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To View Texas Land.
O. L. Holmes, W. B. Porter and F. W. Vandersloot left yesterday morning for Texas, to look over the Texas farm land.

Taking a Vacation.
F. W. Vandersloot started yesterday to Texas, where he will spend a couple of weeks visiting places along the coast.

Home to St. Joseph.
Mr. and Mrs. Watt Hobbs of St. Joseph, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cornell and Mrs. M. A. Turner for a few days, returned last night to their home in St. Joseph.

Reduce Table Expenses

By Patronizing TOWNSEND'S Big Cash Grocery

Every article sold at under price. Four deliveries daily. Sweet Cornal Smoking Tobacco (brand new goods) 1500-five cent packages to go at 3 packages for 5; 20 packages 25c.

20 lbs fine Granulated Sugar for \$1.00
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* FLOUR! FLOUR! FLOUR!
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6 rel. For one day (FRIDAY), we
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Dixie Bacon, square cut pieces 1 1/2 to 2 lbs each, per lb. 18c
This Bacon sugar cured and is A1 quality.

Swiss Cheese, lb. 25c
Good Watermelons, each. 15c to 25c
Two 10c pkgs Fruitello for. 15c
Two 10c pkgs Jello for. 15c
Two 10c pkgs Gelatine for. 15c
25c Uncle Sam Health Food for. 20c
15c Uncle Sam Health Food for. 12c
25c lb cans Tuna Fish for. 20c
10c cans Pink Salmon (1-lb tall cans), doz 90c
Extra good Sweet Potatoes, 5 lbs 25c
Canned Tomatoes, dozen cans, No. 2 size 75c
Canned Tomatoes, dozen cans No. 3 size \$1.05
Canned Sugar Corn, 4 for 25c; doz 70c
9 lbs Pickled Pork for. \$1.00
Cudahy's finest Sugar Cured Hams, 12 to 15 lbs, at, lb. 18 1/2c
7 cans American Sardines in Oil 25c
5 gallons Gasoline (at store) for. 60c
5 gallons Coal Oil (at store) for. 35c
10c cans Greenwell Lye for. 55c
10c cans Eagle Lye, 2 for 15c; 4 for 25c
25c pkg Gold Dust for. 18c
25c pkg Naptha Washing Powder. 16c
Finest quality Smoked Norwegian Sardines, 2 cans. 25c
These prices good for Friday.

Townsend's

Looking Over Bridge.
County Highway Engineer John Clary and Mr. Hughes, representing the Illinois Steel Bridge company, went to a bridge over the 102 drainage ditch, known as the Hamblen bridge. They are figuring on putting in steel joists.

Bible Class Picnic.
The Men's Organized Bible class of the First Baptist church will give their first annual picnic Friday evening at Atherton's grove, east of town. There will be plenty to eat and the members and their friends are invited to attend.

Brought to the Hospital.
John Green of the Harmony neighborhood brought his wife to St. Francis hospital and she was operated on Wednesday for appendicitis. She is getting along nicely at this writing.

Guests of the Landons.
Mrs. Rella McIntire and sons, Landon and Warren, of Mexico, Mo., arrived in the city last night to visit Mrs. McIntire's brother, Prof. P. O. Landon, and family.

Visiting in Maryville.
Mrs. Elmer Anderson and daughter, Mary Anna, of Creston arrived in Maryville this afternoon to visit Mrs. Anderson's aunt, Mrs. A. T. Clark.

Spent Day in Maryville.
Ralph Dunn and Gerald Stryker of Omaha spent today visiting in the city, the guests of their cousin, Miss Amy Clark.

Home to Shenandoah.
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lund of Shenandoah, Ia., who have been the guests of his mother, Mrs. Mary J. Lund, will return to their home this evening.

Teacher Chosen For Liberty School.
Miss Clara Clymens of Hopkins has been elected to teach the Liberty school, near Skidmore, for the coming year.

St. Joseph Guests Leave.
Mr. and Mrs. Loren Tilson and children have returned to their home in St. Joseph, after a visit in Maryville with W. R. and J. L. Tilson and families.

Visited at Pickering.
Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Lahr went to Pickering at noon to visit Mrs. Lahr's mother, Mrs. Rosa Harmon.

Kyle P. Phares left today for a trip to San Francisco, Cal., and other points of interest on the Pacific coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert McKee and children of near Orrsburg were shopping in the city Thursday.

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The Engelmann Greenhouses

1001 S. MAIN ST. PHONE 17

HEAD-ON RAIL CRASH KILLS TWENTY-FIVE

Equal Number Injured as Train and Motor Car Collide.

Joplin, Mo., Aug. 6.—Twenty-five persons were killed and twenty-five injured, six of them fatally, in a head-on collision between a passenger train on the Kansas City Southern railway and a motor car on the Missouri and North Arkansas railroad, ten miles south of here. A faster train carrying physicians and nurses brought the injured to Joplin.

According to reports received here, both the motor car and the train were running at a high rate of speed when they met at a small siding known as Tipton's Ford. With the collision the gasoline reservoir of the motor car exploded, setting both the motor car and the train afire.

Every person in the motor car was killed, it was stated.

The injured were pinned beneath the wreckage and as the flames reached them they begged piteously to be released. However, the fire quickly spread through the wreckage and made them impossible of reaching.

When the train struck the motor car it was shoved back 300 yards. The motor car was left suspended on the locomotive, the pilot having plowed its way under the car, hoisting it up.

None of the passengers on the train was killed, although the engineer and firemen were injured, but not seriously.

The known dead: Herbert Ratcliffe, Eureka Springs, Ark., engineer; Mr. Bradley, Harrison, Ark., brakeman; Mrs. C. L. Eshleman, Dewey, Okla.; W. H. Embry, Granby, Mo.; L. H. Trumbough, Neosho, Mo.; S. A. Nicholas, Harrison, Ark., conductor; Mrs. George J. Johannes, Nevada, Mo.; Mrs. Linsley and son, Joplin, Mo., negroes; two negro children.

The injured included: Lova Eshman, Dewey, Okla., dangerously burned and bruised; Dora Major, Seattle, Wash., internal injuries; H. E. Littleton, Harrison, Ark., Missouri and North Arkansas railroad special agent, fractured ribs and bruises; W. T. Rowland, Valley Springs, Ark., bruises; Etta Settecky, Morton, Ia., bruised; Isa Settecky, Morton, Ia., cuts and bruises.

Carranza and Carbajal Are Agreed.

Mexico City, Aug. 6.—Provisional President Carbajal and General Venustiano Carranza, head of the Constitutional movement, reported a full agreement concerning the turning over of the government to the Constitutionalists. It is expected that a general amnesty will be declared at an early date. Hostilities were suspended.

PEACE UNION FAILS TO MEET

American Delegates to Church Meeting Reach Paris.

Paris, Aug. 6.—A large number of tourists from Switzerland, among them many Americans and delegates of the Church Peace union, whose proposed conference at Constance on Aug. 2 was abandoned, have arrived in Paris with tales of their experiences. They were met on the French frontier and asked to show their credentials. At Besancon they were put into freight cars used for the transportation of troops and horses and had little to eat or drink. The French showed them every courtesy compatible with the exigencies of war.

Most Provided For.

London, Aug. 6.—The wants of most of the Americans in London now have been temporarily provided. Those holding notes and checks have been able to get small sums of currency to carry them on, while the hotels are not pressing them for their bills for daily needs. Others, without funds of any kind, are being taken care of by committees and by loans from individual Americans.

Calls For Tetanus Serum.

New York, Aug. 6.—A rush order for fifty-two quarts of tetanus serum for use in gunshot wounds among the Austrian soldiers have been received by the city health authorities from the Vienna serum institute.

Puts O. K. on Warburg and Delano.

Washington, Aug. 6.—Nominations of Paul M. Warburg of New York and Frederick A. Delano of Chicago to be members of the federal reserve board were favorably reported to the senate by the banking committee.

Newlands Measure Passes Senate.

Washington, Aug. 6.—The Newlands bill to create a federal trade commission, first of the three administration anti-trust measures, passed the senate by a vote of 53 to 16.

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Miss Wray to Visit Here.
Miss Helen Wray, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wray of Springfield, Mo., will arrive in the city this evening to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Arthur Wray and other Maryville relatives and friends. Miss Wray will be met on her arrival by her cousin, Miss Merle Mahan of Hopkins, and her guest, Miss Ruth Bugbee of Steele City, Neb. Miss Wray will also visit at Hopkins with her grandmother, Mrs. Mary C. Wray.

Two Perfect Title Suits Filed.

Yesterday, Cook, Cummins and Dawson, attorneys for Albert R. Middleton filed a perfect suit against Delilah Conant, et al.

Arthur E. Estes, through the firm of Peery and Robinson, filed a perfect title suit against James H. Saunders, et al.

Leaves For California.

Delmar Coffman, who has been employed for some time as head of the carpet department in the Alderman-Yehle dry goods store, will leave tomorrow for Oakland, Cal., to make his home. He will be met at St. Joseph by Mrs. Coffman, who is visiting her parents in that city.

Is Celebrating His Birthday.

Judge E. T. Bailey of near Elmo, a member of the county court, which is in session, is celebrating his birthday today. He is 47 years old and was born in Leavenworth county, Kan. He came to Nodaway county in 1876 and has always been a resident of the Elmo vicinity.

Swinging scaffold for painting barns, houses, silos and windmills. I am painting. John Lund, 115 South Market.

FOR SALE.

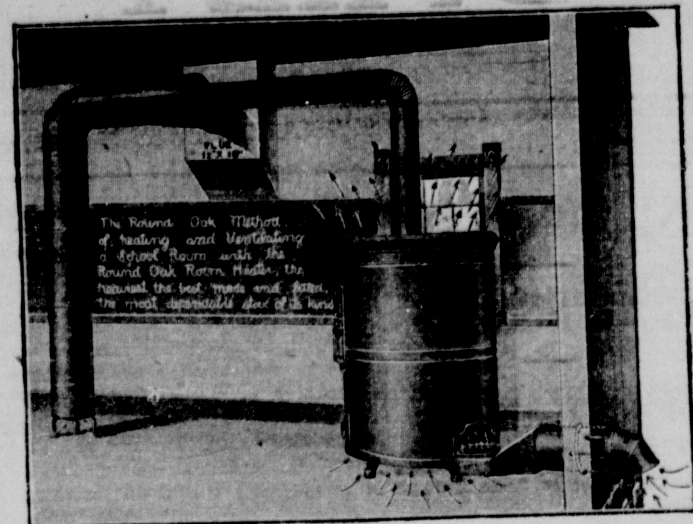
All kinds of feed and all kinds of seeds. Harness repaired and oiled. See me for prices on new harness. Cash paid for poultry, produce, cream and hides.

S. B. WILLIAMS, Arkos, Mo.

PERFECT FITTING GLASSES

are assured you if you come to Cranes. Our expert optician will test your eyes free and fit them with the proper glasses. Prices reasonable.

H. T. CRANE



THE one room that should be heated and ventilated the best—"The School Room" is in most cases the poorest. Then we wonder why under these conditions so many children have catarrh, and that most of the contagious diseases originate in the school room. You may say because of the children congregating there. Not necessarily so; ten miles out at sea germs cannot live, the air is so pure, and when breathed into the lungs produce health and vigor both in body and mind. These are conditions needed in the school room, and with uniform temperature in all parts of the room, and pure fresh air as produced by the **ROUND OAK SYSTEM** of school heating and ventilating, it becomes possible to have absolute sanitary conditions in the school room at all times, and the price is not prohibitory. Call and let us show you why this is true.

THE BUCKEYE HINGED STAY FENCE is built for service, top and bottom wire No. 9, stay and intermediate wire No. 11, and very heavy galvanized. We have in stock all standard widths. Get our prices.

H. C. BOWER
West Side Hardware

W. L. Robey says he has a bigger bean than either of the other two told about in this paper. One pod on his vines, he says, measures 28 1/2 inches.

Announce Birth of a Daughter.
Mr. and Mrs. Gideon Gillidett announce the birth of a daughter yesterday. The baby is named Clella Marie.

Haines
MARYVILLE MO.

THE HOME OF GOOD GOODS AT THE LOWEST PRICES

Gone to Market

The boss, The advertising man, The sweeper, The decorator, The window washer, The buyer, The seller, The checker, The paymaster, The goods marker, General utility man and bureau of information—all in one has gone to the Mohawk Valley to buy Up-to-Date Merchandise for FALL AND WINTER to sell the people of Nodaway County at reasonable prices.

While the above person is away, he invites you to the store that "HAS IT CHEAPER," where you will find the most accommodating bunch of clerks ever assembled together in any one store and who will always be very anxious to please you.

This will be the only ad we will have while the above named person is out of town.

Come and see the New Goods as they Begin to Arrive.

Get The Habit

WHEN CONSCIENCE CALLS

Lubin special feature in two parts. By the Lubin all star players.

The New Medicine Man
Kalem Indian Story in one part

Sandy and Shorty Start Something
They start things rolling and the whole town is on wheels.

TONIGHT

5c and 10c

FERN

Alderman-Yehle

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co.

West Third Street

Store News

No. 81.

Maryville, Mo.

Thursday, August 6, 1914.

Vacation Suggestions

Now that vacation time is here and you are busy making plans for your trip, let us help you by offering a few suggestions of articles you will need.

Trunks

In order to clean up our line of trunks we offer, for the next ten days, a reduction of 20% on all trunks from the small steamer to the large 38 inch size.

Suit cases and Traveling Bags

These are very necessary articles for the person taking a trip and we are in a position to supply your demands. We carry a very extensive line, from the Rattan and Imitation Leather to the Genuine Walrus in Black, and Tan, at from \$1.00 to \$20.00.

Traveling Sets

These are so convenient for the traveler that you cannot afford to be without them.

They are in Leather cases containing Tooth brush, Military brushes, Comb, Soap box, etc., in ebony, and ivory. Prices from \$3.50 to \$5.00.

Rubber Lined Cases

We have the Tapestry, and Silk rubber lined cases containing pockets for the different articles of travel as Tooth brushes, Wash cloths, Drinking cups, etc., at from 10c to \$2.00 each.

Pullman Slippers

Are just the thing to combine comfort and convenience. They come folded in a small leather case that can be carried in the hand bag, taking very little space. They are made in soft kid, and silk uppers with soft leather soles in black, tan, red, light blue, and pink. Just the thing for tired feet. Price \$1.25 pair.

Kodaks and supplies at Crane's.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

There is No Place Like Home, Sweet Home

And there is no place like M. Nusbaum's Store. It is now and has been a home for honest buyers for 41 years. There has been more good goods sold by us than any two present day firms and that isn't all, we are going to keep in the lead, by keeping the best goods. The kind that are warranted at the lowest prices. If you have never traded with us, begin now, we want you and want you to feel at home at our place of business. Some Special Bargains are offered this week in Suits, Shoes, Hats and Shirts. Come and examine them, all goods are warranted as represented or money refunded.

M. Nusbaum

SOCIETY AND CLUBLAND

KATE SCHENCK

Phones—Office 42

Home 683

Guests of the Bagbys.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Thull of Pickering were entertained yesterday at a dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bagby of 316 East Edwards street.

Ladies' Aid to Meet.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Buchanan Street Methodist church will hold its regular business meeting at the church at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon.

Eastern Star Social.

The Order of the Eastern Star will give an ice cream and cake social on the west side of the court house square park tonight. The proceeds are for the benefit of the chapter.

C. W. B. M. to Meet.

The C. W. B. M. of the First Christian church will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Rebecca Gray, 608 North Main street. There is important business to come before the members and all are urged to attend.

To Compliment Denver Guest.

Mrs. M. C. Cain and daughter, Hazel, of Wilcox gave a dinner Tuesday, entertaining Mrs. R. L. Key and her guest, Miss Martha E. Cain of Denver. Col. Miss Cain is a sister of Mrs. Key and will spend several weeks visiting at her home.

To Attend House Party.

Misses Helen Rose and Bernice Crawford left Wednesday for Shenandoah, Ia., to attend a house party given by Miss Margaret Lee Ralston, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ralston. The Misses Crawford returned Tuesday from a three weeks' visit with relatives at Grant City and Sheridan.

To Attend Family Reunion.

Mrs. Ralph Rhoades and daughter of Downs, Kan., arrived in Maryville last night to visit Mrs. Rhoades' parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Nixon. The visitors will remain to attend a family reunion of the nine Nixon children, which is to be held at the parental home on August 15.

Miss Kuchs Entertains.

Miss Katherine Kuchs gave a dinner Wednesday evening at which plates were laid for Miss Allie Jean Fraser and her guest, Miss Justine Ham of Council Bluffs, Ia.; Miss Virginia Rose, Miss Marie Reuillard, Miss Anna Bannum and the hostess. The guests were entertained with an over-night house party and breakfast this morning.

Neal Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Neal of 319 West Edwards street were the hosts of a dinner given yesterday in compliment to their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Wysong of Clinton, Mo. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Wysong, Mr. and Mrs. Smith and Miss Mildred Smith of Barnard, C. W. Strong of Pickering, John Collins, Miss Evelyn Collins, Richard Collins and Mr. and Mrs. Neal.

Gillespie-Gorton.

Miss Maude Gillespie of Shenandoah and Ivan Gorton of this city were married yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gillespie. The marriage ceremony was read by the Rev. Simpson, pastor of the Methodist church of Shenandoah. Mr. Gorton and his bride came to Maryville yesterday evening and will leave this evening for Barnard to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Gorton.

Entertained by Old Friends.

Mrs. Henry Kirby Taylor arrived in the city last night to visit until Saturday afternoon with old friends. She was entertained last night and for luncheon today by Mrs. J. B. Robinson, and will be the complimentary guest of a dinner this evening given by Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Peery. Tomorrow Mrs. Taylor will be a luncheon guest of Prof. and Mrs. H. P. Swinehart. Mrs. Taylor came from her home at Arlington, Texas, a couple of weeks ago and has been visiting her sister, Mrs. L. C. Gabbert of St. Joseph.

Suckow Family "at Home."

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Suckow of Tarkio have taken up their residence in Maryville and have leased one of the Hyslop flats on East Edwards street, where they are at home. The family includes one daughter, Miss Fern Suckow. They are well known to a number of Maryville families, and the former Tarkio people now living in the city, and will be accorded a warm welcome into the Maryville circles. Mr. Suckow is to be head of the carpet department of the Alderman-Yehle dry goods store.

Parnell Girls Picnic.

Class No. 5 of the Methodist church of Parnell, which is known as the Faith Circle, gave a picnic Monday afternoon and evening in Chautauqua park.

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Worth The Money

Can you think of any form of recreation and entertainment where more is given for the price of a Season Ticket than at the

Great Nodaway Chautauqua

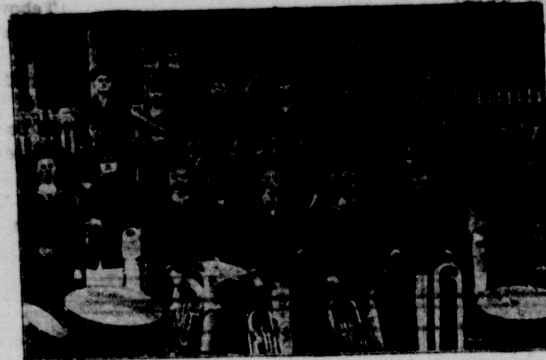
Which Will Be Held In

Normal Park, Aug. 15-23

SENATOR ROBERT LAFOLLETTE

One of the greatest men in our national life, will speak Tuesday afternoon, August 18. Would you not give the price of a season ticket to hear him, and especially at a time when there is so much of interest he will speak about.

DELANO'S U. S. MARINE BAND



One of the leading Concert Bands in America. In most any city you would gladly pay a dollar to hear one concert by an organization like this. Yet in buying a Season Ticket you hear them twice for about eight cents each time.

MAUDE BALLINTON BOOTH

Than whom there is no greater force for good in the world. Who has lifted hundreds of fallen and discouraged men to a new and useful life. Do you think that you could possibly miss hearing this wonderful woman when she is in your city.

These Are Only Three of The Many Good Things

All of which you can hear for the price of a SEASON TICKET . . . \$1.75
(After Next Saturday the Price Will be \$2.00)

AS A SOCIAL OCCASION

The Chautauqua is worth all it costs. You will meet on the Chautauqua Grounds the people really worth while, which is most everybody. There under ideal conditions you can renew old acquaintances, make a host of new friends and enjoy yourself. Anyway you look at it, it is a good proposition. Tickets now on sale at the Stores or of Solicitors, \$1.75 and \$1.00. Next week \$2.00 and \$1.25.

Some Tents Still Left

Mail Orders or Phone Orders Should be Sent to

W. M. OAKERSON
Secretary

P. O. LANDON
Manager Ticket Sale

FOR SALE

Nodaway county farms priced from \$80.00 up. If you are interested in a small acreage tract we have several to show you. We have some good residence properties well located that are priced right.

List Your Property Now As Our Prospective Buyers Will Be Coming In Soon.

During the month of August we have four excursions to the Carrott River Valley District. The richest part of Canada and will make a reduction of \$15.00 in fares on these excursions. Make arrangements to go and see this wonderful country.

The Peters Land Company

222 1/2 North Main

Maryville, Missouri

DIETZ and KECK
UP-TO-DATE TAILORS

REDUCTION SALE

20% Discount

ON ALL SUITINGS IN STOCK. BLUES AND BLACKS RESERVED

Spent Day Here.

M. A. Turner, who has been on the road for the past two months with the Turner trained animal shows, came down from Omaha last night to visit until tomorrow with Mrs. Turner.

On Month's Vacation.

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Bone left this morning for Brooklyn, Ia., to visit Mrs. Bone's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Lyke, after which they will go to Montezuma, Ia., to visit other relatives. They will return to Maryville about September 1.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND. Laxative. Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold wrapper. They are sold with Blue Ribbons. Take one or other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 50 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

Does Your Watch, Clock or Jewelry Need Repairing?

All Work Guaranteed
Prices Reasonable
CRANE'S
We Regulate Your Watch Free

START A
Bank Account

DEPOSITS OF ONE DOLLAR
AND UPWARDS RECEIVED IN
OUR SAVINGS DEPARTMENT

INTEREST PAID TWICE A YEAR

Oldest Bank in the County

Nodaway Valley Bank

A BANK FOR SAVINGS

MARYVILLE

MISSOURI

FOLLOW THE FLAG



Short Limit
Summer Fares
TO
Eastern and St. Lawrence River Points

From Maryville and Return

To Boston and New York \$40.55 \$44.60

DETROIT.....\$25.60
TORONTO.....\$28.35
BUFFALO.....\$29.55
MONTREAL.....\$34.95
QUEBEC.....\$38.95

WABASH

Get particulars about these and other Summer Tourist Fares to Western Points.

E. L. FERRITOR, Agent

NEWS OF SOCIETY
AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

(Continued from Page 3).

Games and amusements occupied the time until 6:30, when supper was served. The class was chaperoned by Miss Getha Conrad, and included Miss Lottie Bird, Miss Lena Miller, Misses Alva and Florence Fish, Miss Hazel Miller, Miss Elma Martin, Miss Zoe Duncan, Miss Verna Court, Miss Preece, Miss Mattie Evans, Miss Beniah Hutcheson, Miss Grace Stites, Miss Mary Chamberlain of Holton, Kan.; Miss Irma Anderson of Grant City and Miss Alma Lucas of Maryville.

Miss White Entertains.

Miss Clydell White was hostess at a pretty informal afternoon affair Tuesday, when she entertained the members of the Happy-Go-Lucky club at her country home, west of the city, complimentary to her guest, Miss Mabel Schaub of Atchison. The afternoon closed with a delicious lunch, served by the hostess, aided by her mother, Mrs. J. C. White. The guests were Miss Schaub, Misses Thelma and Persis Hunt, Miss Mary Sawyers, Miss Mina Everett, Miss Esther Tebow, Miss Mary Levitt, Miss Nellie Fisher and Miss Vesta Rogers. The next regular meeting of the club will be next week, on Tuesday afternoon, with the Misses Hunt.

Mrs. Dempsey Entertains Circle.

The Herron Homemaking Circle met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Dempsey, northwest of the city. The telling of stories and experiences, while the members cut out and pieced a quilt, took up the hours, and at its completion Mrs. Dempsey, assisted by her niece, Miss Mae Sturm, Mrs. I. E. Tebow and Miss Sarah Taylor, served refreshments. Those present were Mrs. J. N. Manley, Mrs. Nellie Manley, Mrs. Virgil Guthrie, Mrs. S. E. Fisher, Mrs. J. C. P. Taylor, Mrs. R. Neidel, Mrs. I. E. Tebow, Mrs. Harvey Cockayne, Mrs. Walter Taylor, Miss Sarah Taylor, Miss Mary Taylor, Miss Esther Neidel, Miss Grace Fisher and Mrs. Winecoop of Nebraska, who is a guest at the Tebow home. The next meeting will be held August 25, at the home of Mrs. S. E. Fisher.

Surprise For Mr. and Mrs. Heflin.

One of the most pleasant affairs enjoyed by the Wilcox folk was last Sunday, when the members of the Christian Sunday school planned and carried out a surprise on their superintendent and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Heflin. At the conclusion of the Sunday service the Heflins were detained at the church by a few of the crowd, while the rest, taking well filled baskets, hurried to the country home of the Heflins, where a picnic dinner was spread. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Heflin, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Osborn, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Shell and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mendenhall and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Moore and family, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Moore and family, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Ashford and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Holt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Al Taylor and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Lockhart and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elihu Shell and family, Mrs. J. T. Patterson and daughter, Misses Mabel and Jennie Duncan, Mrs. Onstott and daughter, Lida, Miss Bernice Duncan, Miss Edith Holt of Maryville, Misses Sarah and Thelma Garrett, George Moore, William Garrett, Robert Patterson and Dale Hughes.

Rebekahs to Meet.

The Wilcox Rebekah lodge will have initiatory exercises Friday night and all members are urged to be present.

Surprise Party For Teacher.

Class No. 6 of the Christian church of Pickering arranged a very pleasant surprise party last night in honor of their teacher, C. R. Harmon, in the event of his forty-second birthday anniversary. About forty-five guests were present.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

Local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear, there is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a running sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI LAND.

I am the owner of improved farms from 40 acres up to 1,200 acres, located in the fertile bottoms of south-east Missouri. Write me your wants, calling for my illustrated circular describing and picturing each of my farms. Prices \$35.00 and up.

GEORGE BEGLEY, JR.,

Owner, Poplar Bluff, Mo.

Rags, Rags, Rags!

Bring in your old rags. They must be free from lint. Deliver to this office.

GERMANS
REPULSED
AT LIEGE

Belgians Drive Back
Invaders.

REGIMENTS DESTROYED

Whole Platoon of Prussian Cavalry Almost Annihilated.

ONE SQUADRON REPULSES SIX

Vise Burned and Many of the Residents Are Shot.

WAR NEWS SUMMARIZED.

The capture of a number of German steamers by the British is reported and the British cruiser Amphion has sunk the Hamburg-American line steamer Koenigin Luise, recently converted into mine layer.

Russian frontier patrols have penetrated ten miles into Germany.

Germany, according to report lacking official confirmation, current in London, has sent ultimatum to Italy.

Rush of men at British recruiting offices to volunteer for war.

Firing of heavy guns heard off coast of Maine.

The German cable was cut between Europe and the Azores.

King George called for volunteers for the army.

German troops are reported to have entered Dutch and Swiss territory.

Russian warships have captured a number of German merchant vessels in the Black sea.

Brussels, Aug. 6.—Several thousand dead and wounded is the toll paid by the German army of the Meuse for its attack on Liege. The Belgians made a heroic defense, repulsing the Germans after heavy and continuous fighting.

The fortified position of Liege had to support the general shock of the German attack. The Belgian forts resisted the advance fiercely and did not suffer. One Belgian squadron attacked and drove back six German squadrons.

Eight hundred wounded Germans are being transferred to the city of Liege, where they will be cared for.

Prior to the attack on Liege, General von Emmich, commanding the German army of the Meuse, issued a proclamation calling for an open road through Belgium for his troops, suggesting that prudence would show it the duty of the Belgian people to accede to this in order to avoid the horrors of war.

The Germans committed repressions against the civil population of the town of Vise, eight miles northeast of Liege, burning the city and shooting many of the residents.

According to Le Soir under the treaty between France and Belgium, King Albert will command the Franco-Belgian troops operating in Belgium. King Albert has placed his palace at the disposal of the Red Cross.

A newspaper asserts that in the fighting between Germans and Belgians near Vise, a platoon of Prussian cavalry was almost annihilated by the enfilading fire of the Belgians from a building on the bank of the river. The Prussians, in revenge, the newspaper says, fired on citizens.

Two regiments of German Uhlans have been destroyed by the Belgian army, according to an official announcement given out by the French war office.

WANTS ITALY TO TAKE SIDES

Kaiser Sends an Ultimatum to His Hesitating Ally.

London, Aug. 6.—It is reported that Germany has sent an ultimatum to Italy. The report lacks official confirmation, but is regarded here as not improbable. There have been rumors that Italy, owing to the strong antagonism existing between Austrians and Italians, was likely to break away from the triple alliance and declare itself on the side of England.

First Fruits of War.

London, Aug. 6.—The first fruits of the war are several German vessels brought into harbor by British cruisers and others impounded in port. This was the day's only news so far as British naval and military operations were concerned.

The German embassy has been granted a special train and cruiser to take the staff to a Holland port. A notice on the door, "American embassy," has been posted when the American secretary, Irwin B. Laughlin, temporarily assumed charge of the premises.

GEORGE V. AND CHURCHILL.

England's Ruler and First Lord of Admiralty, Who Have Entered Struggle.



Photos by American Press Association.

BIG BATTLES OF THE
WAR A WEEK AWAY

Little Credence Placed in Reports of Sea Fight.

London, Aug. 6.—The plan of campaign of the various nations at war are being developed with methodical deliberation, and military authorities here are of the opinion that the alleged fighting on the Russo-German and Franco-German frontiers has consisted of nothing but skirmishes between reconnoitering bodies of troops. They point out that it will take at least another week for the main armies of Germany, France and Russia to get into position for decisive struggle. It is known, however, that severe fighting is in progress in Belgium between the Belgians and Germans, and it has been reported that 80,000 Germans have been repulsed near Liege, although the Belgian war minister only permits himself to say in his official reports that the Belgians are successfully meeting the German invaders. Little credence is placed in authoritative quarters here in the alleged authentic information from alleged German warships in the Mediterranean.

RESCUE GOLD SHIP READY

Tennessee to Sail With \$2,500,000 For Stranded Americans Abroad.

Washington, Aug. 6.—Relief measures for the 100,000 Americans in Europe were put into practical operation.

President Wilson signed the bill passed by congress appropriating \$2,500,000 for the financial assistance of Americans abroad. The gold will be taken from the subtreasury in New York to the armored cruiser Tennessee, which sails tonight for the principal ports of Europe to distribute it.

Negotiations were begun for the chartering of several big Italian steamships, together with thirty-nine American vessels, ordinarily used in coastwise trade, will provide facilities for as many thousands as care to come home.

Germans Execute Belgian Civilians.

Paris, Aug. 6.—Official advices say that Germany declared war against Belgium and that German forces moved on Belgium from the territory between Aix-la-Chapelle and Rheindt. There has been fighting around Liege and Vise. The latter town has been burned. Civilians caught by the Germans firing upon them were executed.

Several dirigibles have been hovering over Brussels and the residents of the Belgian capital, in a state of exasperation, are attacking the Germans in the city.

Germany Asked to Release Americans.

Washington, Aug. 6.—Representations have been made to the German government for the immediate release of Americans interned there during the mobilization.

Kitchener Secretary of War.

London, Aug. 6.—Field Marshal Earl Kitchener has been appointed secretary of state for war.

WANTS

Classified ads running three days or more one-half cent per word for each insertion; minimum rate 25c for three days. Interrupted insertions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

WANTED—A boy at city newsstand. 6-8

HOUSE TO RENT—Inquire R. L. McDougal. 4-10

STAR THEATER for sale at a bargain if taken at once. See L. A. Cook. 6-11

WANTED—Second-hand sacks. Will pay \$3 per hundred for good sound sacks. R. S. Braniger. 4-6

FOR SALE OR RENT—Good 5-room house and good barn. Inquire 410 South Vine street. 6-12

BARN FOR SALE—Size 24x16. See A. W. Hawkins. 5-7

STANDARD PLUMBING CO., permanently of Maryville. Honest plumbing at honest prices. Some worse, none better.

FOR RENT—Three front rooms, furnished, 3 blocks from square, modern, light, heat and water furnished. Inquire this office. 6-8

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, good as new. Atwater-Kent igniting system, two new casings, 1913 model. Inquire this office. 6-8

IT'S CLEAN-UP TIME—See U. Becker for cleaning and pressing. The "Hotness Doctor," at 209 1/2 North Main.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle 1,500. Market steady.
Hogs 6,000. Market 10c to 15c higher. Top \$8.90.

Sheep 6,000. Market 10c higher.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle 1,000. Market steady.
Hogs 1,000. Market steady. Top \$8.50.

Sheep 2,000. Market steady.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle 325. Market steady.
Hogs 1,000. Market steady. Top \$8.00.

Sheep 1,700. Market steady.

LETTER LIST.

Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in the Maryville, Mo., postoffice for the week ending Wednesday, August 5th, 1914:

Gentlemen.

Barry, John.
Fabley, Perry.
Lorabee, J. L.
Pyle, L. E.
Richards, Frank.

Ladies.

Chandler, Mrs. John M.
Fine, Miss Rose.
Kerlin, Mrs. Susie.
Long, Miss Laura.
Miller, Miss Dora.
Morris, Miss Zoe.

Persons calling for the above named letters will please say "advertised."

JAMES TODD, Postmaster.

Caught Under Engine Wheels.

Elmer Fine of Siam, who has been out with a threshing crew this season, met with a very painful accident on a steep hill near Siam last Monday. He was running the engine when something about the machinery gave way and the big machine backed down the incline.

Elmer jumped from the cab but slipped when he struck the ground, allowing the big wheel of the engine to pass over his right leg, breaking the bones and mashing the limb very badly. Dr. Powers of Siam was called but the injury was so serious that he deemed it advisable to take the injured man to the hospital at Clarinda before anything was done.

Late reports say that Mr. Fine is getting along as well as can be expected.

This family has been very unfortunate in working around threshing machines, Clyde, a brother of Elmer, losing his life six or seven years ago by being mangled when he fell into a threshing machine separator.—Hopkins Journal.

Hopkins Young Man in Bad.

According to the Clarinda Herald a young man who said he lived near Hopkins, Mo., got the worst of it on a train out of Creston last Friday—an unlucky day, you know. While on the train, the said young man happened to spy a pretty girl in whom no one seemed interested. He went up to her and did the masher act. She responded charmingly. He was happy until a full bearded man came and took the young lady by the arm, thanking the young gentleman politely for having made the task of taking a weak minded creature to the Independence hospital easier than he had dared to hope. The incident, it is believed, has cured the young man of the "mashing" habit.

AUTO LIVERY.

At the Fisher & McMurtry Garage, 114-116 West Fourth.

Calls answered day and night. Careful driving. Hanamo phone 25; Farmers phone 71.

John Bosch.

DAILY DEMOCRAT-FORUM

LARGEST CIRCULATION OF ANY DAILY PAPER IN ANY MISSOURI TOWN OF 5000 POPULATION

VOLUME 5.

MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, THURSDAY, AUG. 6, 1914.

NO. 55.

REST ROOMS FULL

550 REGISTERED THERE YESTERDAY—MORE WERE PRESENT.

TO RAISE YEAR'S FUNDS

Federation Hopes to Make Enough at Fair to Pay All Expenses—Asks Aid.

Yesterday again proved the value of the new rest rooms. An actual count 550 women registered there during the day, and Mrs. Casteel said that fully one-third of the women who used the rooms failed to register. They kept coming in such numbers that she could not get the rooms closed when the regular hour came, but was forced to keep them open until after 9 o'clock at night.

The average daily attendance outside the opening day and yesterday has been about fifty. With Chautauqua only a week off and the fair coming immediately after that, Mrs. Casteel expects the rooms to be pretty well crowded for the next three weeks.

No permanent fund for the maintenance of the rooms has been provided as yet, and the club women of Maryville have taken the responsibility of supporting them. In order to avoid the necessity of calling upon the people to support different functions throughout the year for the purpose of raising this money, the club women are going to try to make enough from their lunch counter at the fair to cover the year's expenses. To do this, they send the following appeal to the women of the county:

"Now that the rest rooms are built and furnished, the problem of maintaining them is before the public. The salary of the matron and incidental expenses must be met each month.

"The City Federation of Women's Clubs has undertaken to conduct the restaurant at the Nodaway county fair, September 1 to 5, hoping by this one effort to obtain enough money to maintain the rooms for a year. The task is a large one and the federation would not have assumed it except that it felt that it could count on the support of the women of Nodaway county.

"The pride and interest taken in the opening of the rooms last Saturday was sufficient guarantee that the women of the county would do their part whether members of the federation or not. To this end the federation now comes before the public and asks for its loyal support. The women of both town and county will be asked to help. Will you not respond cheerfully to the call, whether it is to serve on committees, to cook at home, or to work on the grounds?"

"Let this be your motto when the president or any of her assistants call on you for help: Here am I; use me. "THE FEDERATION."

CELEBRATION DAY WAS ORDERLY

Police Had Little to Do Yesterday in Handling the Big Crowd—But Two Cases in Court.

For the large crowd that was in Maryville yesterday, the day was very quiet as far as the police were concerned. The people were orderly and caused no disturbances. Two arrests for drunkenness were made.

C. W. Tucker was arraigned in police court yesterday, pleaded guilty to the charge of drunkenness and was fined \$2 and costs. O. S. Webb and Arthur Hawkins were brought into court this morning and fined \$5 and costs each.

A BASE BALL TOURNAMENT.

Four Good Teams to Play in Hopkins on August 12, 13 and 14.

A base ball tournament is to be held at Hopkins on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, August 12, 13 and 14, and \$350 will be given in prizes. Beside the Hopkins team, Maryville, Sheridan and Lenox will likely play. The teams have not as yet been fully decided on, but they guarantee teams to be here that will play good, clean ball.

On Extensive Northern Trip.

Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Coe left last night for a visit of several days with relatives in Chicago after which they will proceed on a northern lake trip. They will visit relatives in New York City and will then go on to Montreal, Canada, visiting places along the St. Lawrence and will return by the way of Niagara Falls and Boston, spending about a month.

Comets Defeat Atchison 13-9.

The ball game yesterday between the Maryville Comets and a colored team from Atchison, Kas., resulted in a 13-9 victory for the Comets.

MR. WESTBROOK'S OFFICE HOURS

City School Superintendent Back from Columbia and May be Seen at the High School Building.

Superintendent W. M. Westbrook will keep office hours from 9:30 till 11:30 o'clock every morning until the opening of school September 7. Mr. Westbrook will be at the high school building to see any one about school matters, especially persons who want to get their credits for entrance into colleges and universities.

Mr. Westbrook returned from Columbia, Mo., last night, where he had been doing graduate work in the summer session of the state university.

BAND TO PLAY AT BALL GAMES.

Sunday Concerts Discontinued Because of Poor Support—All Stars Contract For Music at Riffe's Park.

Because of the poor support given to the Sunday band concerts at the Normal park this summer, they were discontinued last week. A plan had been proposed to resume the concerts, but to hold them in the Franklin school. It was thought that because of the nearness to town the concerts would be better supported under this plan.

However, the All Stars have offered to contract with the band for music at the Sunday games at Riffe's park, and the band will play there next Sunday.

POLK LOOKER DIES.

Aged Man Succumbs to Illness of Several Years—Funeral Tomorrow.

Polk Looker, aged 75, one of the early settlers of Nodaway county, and a brother of John C. and David Looker died last night at St. Francis hospital. Mr. Looker had been in failing health for several years suffering with a complication of troubles. Five weeks ago he was taken to St. Francis hospital for treatment.

The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock at the residence of his brother, John C. Looker, 1520 East Halsey, conducted by the Rev. R. L. Finch, pastor of the First Christian church.

Mr. Looker was born in Ohio but came to this county when a very young man. He settled on a farm near Graham and made his home there until after the death of his wife when he came to Maryville and made his home with his brother, J. C. Looker.

He is survived by three sisters and one brother, beside the two brothers living in this city. One brother is a resident of Kansas and the sisters live in Idaho.

RECORD TIME HORSE TO BE HERE

Miss Sly Equalled World's Half-Mile Running Record at Chillicothe—Broke State Record Yesterday.

The Chillicothe Evening Tribune tells of the performance of Miss Sly, a running mare, at the fair there this week, in which she equalled the world's half-mile record. Miss Sly is entered for the races at the Nodaway county fair the first week in September. The mare broke the state record yesterday, and the story of her other race as told by the Chillicothe paper is:

Miss Sly, the bay mare owned by Dr. J. W. Cookley & Son of Creston, Ia., gave one of the most remarkable performances ever witnessed over any half-mile track yesterday at the Chillicothe fair grounds. Miss Sly equalled the world's record on a one-half mile race course, formerly held by Brevity at Dufferin Park, Canada.

The bay mare's performance yesterday was all the more remarkable owing to the fact that she was off a trifle bad and the jockey's saddle turned completely around her side before she had gone one-fourth the distance. This placed the jockey in such a position that he could not give her much assistance and the mare carried 112 pounds.

Few of the spectators realized that a world's record had been equalled when the race was finished. Roy Baker was the jockey, and the creditable manner in which he handled his mount contributed largely to the fine performance of Miss Sly.

To Northern Cottage.

S. G. Gillam left yesterday afternoon for Reserve, Wis., to join his son, Forest, and Eugene Yehle, who are at the Gillam cottage, at the Wismo Angling club grounds, spending a couple of weeks. On account of the ill health of her mother, Mrs. W. H. Trueblood, Mrs. Gillam will remain in the city during the summer.

Mrs. Paul Cook has returned from a two weeks' visit with relatives at Hamburg, Ia.

Harry Lett, Nodaway county, was on the St. Joseph market with cattle yesterday.

BREAKS HER JAW

MISS MARY HUGHES, NORMAL TEACHER, BADLY HURT TODAY.

CONDITION NOT SERIOUS

Falls Down Four Steps and Strikes Chin On Concrete Floor—Doctors Work Three and a Half Hours.

Miss Mary Hughes, teacher of psychology in the Normal, was badly hurt this morning when she slipped on the stairs and fell four steps to the floor, cutting her chin and breaking her jaw bone.

The accident occurred a little after 9 o'clock, when assembly was letting out. When Miss Hughes slipped she was thrown forward, her chin striking the concrete floor. The fracture of the jaw bone caused her to bleed internally and at the ears. She was picked up by Prof. H. P. Swinehart and rushed to St. Francis hospital for medical attention.

Drs. Charles T. Bell, Will Wallis, Jr., and H. L. Stinson, on examining her, found that she was not critically hurt, and is in no danger from any injury to the brain. The jaw has sustained a compound fracture near the socket joints. The doctors worked three hours and a half in setting the fracture and caring for Miss Hughes. It was necessary for Dr. Stinson to pull two of her front teeth in order that the jaw could be properly wired, and to allow for the passage of a tube through which Miss Hughes will have to be fed.

Dr. Bell said this noon that he could not tell how long it would take for Miss Hughes' injuries to heal, but at the least it will be a long time.

Miss Hughes had planned to start a vacation trip after the close of the Normal school next week. She was to have traveled all through the west, going out by the southern route through the Grand Canyon, up the coast to Washington and back by the northern route.

HANDSOME ELECTRIC SIGN.

Haines Placing Big Display Sign Containing 127 Lights.

H. L. Haines received today from the Thomas Cusack company a handsome electric sign, which will be placed at once over the Haines dry goods store, on North Main street.

The sign is 10 feet long by 3 feet wide, with the sign "Haines" in eighteen inch letters on a background of maroon with border of dark green. The letters are white and are set with 127 incandescent bulbs, showing alike on each side and operating with a break current. The sign is placed at a cost of \$175. It will be hung extended and will be completed by Saturday.

Home to Kansas City.

Mrs. Lafa Rambo and daughter, Mrs. Webster Bear and baby of Kansas City, who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Rambo's brother, Walter Wiles, of North Mulberry street and T. A. Wiles, living north of the city, returned to their home yesterday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Walter Wiles, who will spend a few days in Kansas City.

Visiting at Pickering.

Mrs. E. L. Harrington and daughter, Thelma, of Savannah, came to Pickering Tuesday night to visit Mrs. Harrington's mother, Mrs. A. L. Morford.

CARY SUES JUDGE

NORMAL STUDENT ASKS JOHN THORNHILL FOR \$10,000 DAMAGES

GRASSSTARTS TROUBLE

Plaintiff Says He Was Harassed and Pained When Arrested For Being On Court House Lawn.

Daniel Cary of Bogard, Mo., a summer student in the Normal, has sued John G. Thornhill, presiding judge of the county court, for \$10,000, because the latter had him arrested for getting on the grass in the court house yard.

The trouble occurred a week ago. Judge Thornhill saw Cary lying on the grass in the court house yard and asked him to get off in accordance with the orders of the county court. All persons are forbidden to get on the grass this summer, because of the effort being made to get it started.

Cary refused to obey Mr. Thornhill's request and began to argue with him. Mr. Thornhill then had Cary arrested, and he was tried and fined before justice of the Peace Johnston.

In the complaint filed today by Cary's attorney, Warren Rogers of St. Joseph, Cary says that on July 28 he was caused to be arrested and deprived of his liberty by Judge Thornhill, and that the defendant wrongfully and maliciously, with intent to injure the plaintiff, caused the arrest of the latter, thereby making him suffer great humiliation, mental pain and bodily disfigurement.

Because of all this, Mr. Cary asks for \$10,000 damages, \$5,000 actual and \$5,000 punitive.

FARNAN UNDERGOES OPERATION.

Young Man Injured Monday Night Still in Critical State.

Will Farnan, who was seriously hurt Monday night, when he was thrown from the horse he was riding, remains in an unconscious state and in an extremely critical condition.

He underwent a spinal operation this morning and the attending physicians cannot give out any exact change in his symptoms as yet. The young man is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Farnan of near Conception. He was found in the pasture of the farm Monday evening about 7 o'clock in an unconscious and partially paralyzed state. The only solution of his injuries is that he was thrown from his horse while riding to bring in the cows.

FRANK GWINN IMPROVING.

Will Be Brought to Home at Bedison as Soon as Able.

Frank Gwinn, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Matt G. Gwinn of Bedison, who underwent an operation for appendicitis Sunday, is recovering. The young man is at the Gwinn ranch, near Denver, in Worth county, and will be brought to his parents' home at Bedison as soon as he is able to make the trip.

To Barnard Picnic.

A party composed of Henry Westfall, John M. Dawson, Wm. G. Sawyers and Fred J. Yeomans went to Barnard this afternoon to attend the picnic, which opened today.

Threshed Twenty-Four Acres of Oats.

Levi Wallace threshed twenty-four acres of oats this week which yielded 1,300 bushels.

LIBRARY GETS BUTTERFLY BOOK

Many Children Here Interested in Nature Study and Are Making Collections.

Miss Grace Langan, librarian of the Carnegie Library, received this morning Gene Stratton-Porter's book on nature study, "Moths of the Lumberlost." Many of the school children have been interested in the study of moths and butterflies this summer, reading everything the library has on the subject and making collections of well prepared specimens.

The new book has been ordered for some time. It is a large 360 page volume, illustrated with many full page photographs and water color drawings. The author does not claim to be a scientist, and in writing the book has told of her observations of moths and butterflies in a simple and untechnical way that makes the book easy to read and understand.

RAVENWOOD CARS HERE

Party of Fifty Persons Come to Boost Their Chautauqua, August 18-23.

Fourteen motor cars and a motorcycle filled with boosters of the Ravenwood Chautauqua arrived in Maryville at 12:30 o'clock today. There were fifty persons in the party, and with an eleven piece band, a speech-maker, pennants and bills they let the people know of their Chautauqua, August 18 to 23.

This will be Ravenwood's second Chautauqua, and it will be put on by the Jones Chautauqua system.

The party ate dinner here, after which the band played and the Rev. C. O. Ransford made a speech concerning the Chautauqua. At 2 o'clock the boosters left town to complete their 105-mile trip.

Leaving Ravenwood at 8 o'clock this morning, they went to Alantus, Starberry, Clyde, New Conception, Guilford, Barnard, Arkoe, Maryville, Pickering, Hopkins, Sheridan, Parnell, Orrsburg and Harmony. They expect to reach Ravenwood at 6 o'clock.

The persons whose cars made the trip are: Henry McMullin, J. L. McMullin, Wiley H. Slagle, Charles DeLong, J. C. Patterson, S. E. Wells, Dr. D. H. Hunterdon, John Midyett, A. G. Bentley, Faye Casteel, John Lewis, Carl Oglesby, I. A. Goodson, Joseph Berg, and Orren Kirkwright on the motorcycle.

VACATION FOR ST. LOUIS GIRL.

Loyal Daughters Class to Give a Good Time to Orphan Girl.

Mabel Pemberton will arrive in Maryville this evening from the Christian Orphans' home of St. Louis, to be the guest for a couple of weeks of the Loyal Daughters class of the First Christian church.

The class is composed of about twenty young ladies and is taught by Mrs. Robert Lyle Finch. They support a little girl in the home, Dorothy Pemberton, and as she was given another vacation trip, the class sent for her sister, Mabel, to give her an outing.

All of the expenses of the trip are paid by the class, and the little girl will be shown a grand good time.

Miss Smith Home.

Miss Stella Q. Smith, who has been at St. Francis hospital for the past two weeks, convalescing from an operation for appendicitis, is much improved and was brought to her home, on South Main street, this afternoon.

Returned From Western Trip.

John W. Coleman returned today from a four months' trip to the west. He visited in Boise, Idaho; Portland, Tacoma, Seattle, and Victoria, British Columbia.

Harknesses Leave On Camping Trip.

The Rev. S. D. Harkness and his family will leave tonight on a three weeks' camping trip during his vacation. They will camp at Lanning's mill, north of Ravenwood.

Edward Otis of East First street is building a fine new dwelling house on Dewey street between First and Second streets.

KILLED HIMSELF

C. E. LAWLER, FARMER, SHOT SELF IN TEMPLE LAST NIGHT.

HAD WARNED HIS WIFE

They Had Attended Celebration in Maryville—Straightened Finances—the Only Reason He Gave.

Kissing his wife and two young brothers goodbye, Charles E. Lawler, 24 years old, a farmer living seven and one-half miles southeast of Maryville, put a revolver to his right temple and instantly killed himself about 7:30 o'clock last night. The act was committed after he had told them he would kill himself, and following a short struggle, in which they attempted to prevent him from doing it. The only reason given for the suicide is that he was in financial straits.

Mr. Lawler and a brother about 18 years old were conducting the farm on shares. With them were living Mrs. Lawler, Mr. Lawler's mother and two younger brothers, Irwin and Glen, boys about 10 and 12 years old.

Yesterday morning Mr. Lawler got up apparently in as good spirits as ever. With his wife, Irwin and Glen he came to Maryville to attend the Emancipation day celebration, and they passed the entire day here. That evening as they drove home, he told them he would not be alive in the morning, that he was going to kill himself.

When they reached the gate, Mr. Lawler got out of the buggy and went into the house. Mrs. Lawler hurried after him and found him with a revolver in his hand. She pleaded with him to give it up, and the two boys, coming in just then, tried to take it away from him. A struggle ensued, in which Mr. Lawler left the house and went toward the barn, followed by the others. There he kissed them all goodbye, put the revolver to his head and shot himself.

Mr. Lawler moved with his family to the farm, southeast of Maryville last spring, coming from a farm in Iowa, just north of Hopkins, Mo. He had been married three years. His crops had not done so well as he thought they should, and his own statement that he was short on finances is the only reason given for his act. However, suicide seems to run in his family, for his father killed himself six years ago, and his mother is now in Kansas visiting a daughter, who attempted to take her own life a few days ago by drinking poison.

Dr. Will Wallis, Jr., coroner, was called to the Lawler home immediately but did not summon a jury as the circumstances of the case proved it suicide. The funeral arrangements have not been made yet, as the family is waiting to hear from Mr. Lawler's mother.

Mr. Lawler carried \$2,000 life insurance.

THEY ATE ALL THE PIES.

Yesterday's Celebrators Were a Hungry Lot, and the Restaurant Keepers Wore Smiles.

Yesterday's celebrators were a hungry lot, and the restaurant keepers wore smiles. In addition to two dining halls fitted up for the day by the colored people, all the restaurants did a good business.

The crowd ate until late at night and almost brought a food famine upon the lunch counters. One man went the rounds about midnight trying to find a pie with which to appease his appetite, but the pies were all gone, and as nothing else would do, he went hungry.

THE ALDERMEN GO ANGLING.

City Fathers Rusticated on the Nodaway Yesterday.

The city councilmen forgot wrangling over city affairs yesterday in angling for fish in the Nodaway. The crowd included the eight aldermen, Bert Raines, Frank Garrett, Louis Gram, J. D. Ford, John Gray, Moses Hahn, Jesse Fisher and Cap Tindall, and they were taken over in autos driven by Harlan Ford and Roy Martin. They stopped at a point near Quitman and were joined by several friends from there.

To Buy New Hats.

Miss Elizabeth Ashford left this morning on a buying trip to Kansas City and St. Louis to buy fall stock for the Ashford millinery store.

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy tonight and Friday, cooler north and west portion tonight.

One Wonderful Night

Featuring FRANCIS X. BUSHMAN, Winner of Ladies World Hero Contest

The EMPIRE THEATRE
FRIDAY, AUGUST 7th

TONIGHT

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IN MOTION PICTURES
THE EMPIRE THEATRE

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To View Texas Land.

O. L. Holmes, W. B. Porter and F. W. Vandersloot left yesterday morning for Texas, to look over the Texas farm land.

Taking a Vacation.

F. W. Vandersloot started yesterday to Texas, where he will spend a couple of weeks visiting places along the coast.

Home to St. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. Watt Hobbs of St. Joseph, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cornell and Mrs. M. A. Turner for a few days, returned last night to their home in St. Joseph.

Reduce Table Expenses By Patronizing TOWNSEND'S Big Cash Grocery

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Swiss Cheese, lb.....25c
Good Watermelons, each.....15c to 25c
Two 10c pkgs Fruitello for.....15c
Two 10c pkgs Jello for.....15c
Two 10c pkgs Gelatine for.....15c
25c Uncle Sam Health Food for.....20c
15c Uncle Sam Health Food for.....12c
25c lb cans Tuna Fish for.....20c
10c cans Pink Salmon (1-lb tall cans), doz.....90c
Extra good Sweet Potatoes, 5 lbs 25c
Canned Tomatoes, dozen cans, No. 2 size.....75c
Canned Tomatoes, dozen cans No. 3 size.....\$1.05
Canned Sugar Corn, 4 for 25c; doz 70c
9 lbs Pickled Pork for.....\$1.00
Cudahy's finest Sugar Cured Hams, 12 to 15 lbs; at, lb.....18 1/2c
7 cans American Sardines in Oil 25c
5 gallons Gasoline (at store) for.....60c
5 gallons Coal Oil (at store) for.....33c
10c cans Greenwich Lye for.....5c
10c cans Eagle Lye, 2 for 15c; 4 for 25c
25c pkg Gold Dust for.....18c
25c pkg Naphtha Washing Powder, 10c
Finest quality Smoked Norwegian Sardines, 2 cans.....25c
These prices good for Friday.

Townsend's

WHEN CONSCIENCE CALLS

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The New Medicine Man
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Sandy and Shorty Start Something
They start things rolling and the whole town is on wheels.

TONIGHT

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Looking Over Bridge.

County Highway Engineer John Clary and Mr. Hughes, representing the Illinois Steel Bridge company, went to near Hopkins today in regard to a bridge over the 102 drainage ditch, known as the Hamblen bridge. They are figuring on putting in steel joists.

Bible Class Picnic.

The Men's Organized Bible class of the First Baptist church will give their first annual picnic Friday evening at Atherton's grove, east of town. There will be plenty to eat and the members and their friends are invited to attend.

Brought to the Hospital.

John Green of the Harmony neighborhood brought his wife to St. Francis hospital and she was operated on Wednesday for appendicitis. She is getting along nicely at this writing.

Guests of the Landons.

Mrs. Rella McIntire and sons, Landon and Warren, of Mexico, Mo., arrived in the city last night to visit Mrs. McIntire's brother, Prof. P. O. Landon, and family.

Visiting in Maryville.

Mrs. Elmer Anderson and daughter, Mary Anna, of Creston arrived in Maryville this afternoon to visit Mrs. Anderson's aunt, Mrs. A. T. Clark.

Spent Day in Maryville.

Ralph Dunn and Gerald Stryker of Omaha spent today visiting in the city, the guests of their cousin, Miss Amy Clark.

Home to Shenandoah.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lund of Shenandoah, Ia., who have been the guests of his mother, Mrs. Mary J. Lund, will return to their home this evening.

Teacher Chosen For Liberty School.

Miss Clara Clymens of Hopkins has been elected to teach the Liberty school, near Skidmore, for the coming year.

St. Joseph Guests Leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Tilson and children have returned to their home in St. Joseph, after a visit in Maryville with W. R. and J. L. Tilson and families.

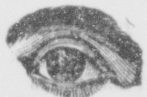
Visited at Pickering.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Lahr went to Pickering at noon to visit Mrs. Lahr's mother, Mrs. Rosa Harmon.

Kyle P. Phares left today for a trip to San Francisco, Cal., and other points of interest on the Pacific coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert McKee and children of near Orrsburg were shopping in the city Thursday.

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HEAD-ON RAIL CRASH KILLS TWENTY-FIVE

Equal Number Injured as Train
and Motor Car Collide.

Joplin, Mo., Aug. 6.—Twenty-five persons were killed and twenty-five injured, six of them fatally, in a head-on collision between a passenger train on the Kansas City Southern railway and a motor car on the Missouri and North Arkansas railroad, ten miles south of here. A roller train carrying physicians and nurses brought the injured to Joplin.

According to reports received here, both the motor car and the train were running at a high rate of speed when they met at a small siding known as Tipton's Ford. With the collision the gasoline reservoir of the motor car exploded, setting both the motor car and the train afire.

Every person in the motor car was killed, it was stated.

The injured were pinned beneath the wreckage and as the flames reached them they begged piteously to be released. However, the fire quickly spread through the wreckage and made them impossible of reaching.

When the train struck the motor car it was shoved back 300 yards. The motor car was left suspended on the locomotive, the pilot having plowed its way under the car, hoisting it up.

None of the passengers on the train was killed, although the engineer and firemen were injured, but not seriously.

The known dead: Herbert Ratcliffe, Eureka Springs, Ark., engineer; Mr. Bradley, Harrison, Ark., brakeman; Mrs. C. L. Eshleman, Dewey, Okla.; W. H. Embry, Granby, Mo.; L. H. Trumbaugh, Neosho, Mo.; S. A. Nicholas, Harrison, Ark., conductor; Mrs. George J. Johannes, Nevada, Mo.; Mrs. Linsley and son, Joplin, Mo., negroes; two negro children.

The injured included: Lova Eshman, Dewey, Okla., dangerously burned and bruised; Dora Major, Seattle, Wash., internal injuries; H. E. Littleton, Harrison, Ark., Missouri and North Arkansas railroad special agent, fractured ribs and bruises; W. T. Rowland, Valley Springs, Ark., bruises; Etta Settecky, Morton, Ia., bruised; Isa Settecky, Morton, Ia., cuts and bruises.

Carrazna and Carbajal Are Agreed.

Mexico City, Aug. 6.—Provisional President Carbajal and General Venustiano Carranza, head of the Constitutional movement, reported a full agreement concerning the turning over of the government to the Constitutionalists. It is expected that a general amnesty will be declared at an early date. Hostilities were suspended.

PEACE UNION FAILS TO MEET

American Delegates to Church Meeting Reach Paris.

Paris, Aug. 6.—A large number of tourists from Switzerland, among them many Americans and delegates of the Church Peace union, whose proposed conference at Constance on Aug. 2 was abandoned, have arrived in Paris with tales of their experiences. They were met on the French frontier and asked to show their credentials. At Besancon they were put into freight cars used for the transportation of troops and horses and had little to eat or drink. The French showed them every courtesy compatible with the exigencies of war.

Most Provided For.

London, Aug. 6.—The wants of most of the Americans in London now have been temporarily provided. Those holding notes and checks have been able to get small sums of currency to carry them on, while the hotels are not pressing them for their bills for daily needs. Others, without funds of any kind, are being taken care of by committees and by loans from individual Americans.

Calls For Tetanus Serum.

New York, Aug. 6.—A rush order for fifty-two quarts of tetanus serum for use in gunshot wounds among the Austrian soldiers have been received by the city health authorities from the Vienna serum institute.

Puts O. K. on Warburg and Delano.

Washington, Aug. 6.—Nominations of Paul M. Warburg of New York and Frederick A. Delano of Chicago to be members of the federal reserve board were favorably reported to the senate by the banking committee.

Newlands Measure Passes Senate.

Washington, Aug. 6.—The Newlands bill to create a federal trade commission, first of the three administration anti-trust measures, passed the senate by a vote of 53 to 16.

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Miss Wray to Visit Here.

Miss Helen Wray, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wray of Springfield, Mo., will arrive in the city this evening to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Arthur Wray and other Maryville relatives and friends. Miss Wray will be met on her arrival by her cousin, Miss Merle Mahan of Hopkins, and her guest, Miss Ruth Bugbee of Steele City, Neb. Miss Wray will also visit at Hopkins with her grandmother, Mrs. Mary C. Wray.

Two Perfect Title Suits Filed.

Yesterday, Cook, Cummins and Dawson, attorneys for Albert R. Middleton filed a perfect suit against Delilah Conant, et al.

Arthur E. Estes, through the firm of Peery and Robinson, filed a perfect title suit against James H. Saunders, et al.

Leaves For California.

Delmar Coffman, who has been employed for some time as head of the carpet department in the Alderman-Yehle dry goods store, will leave tomorrow for Oakland, Cal., to make his home. He will be met at St. Joseph by Mrs. Coffman, who is visiting her parents in that city.

Is Celebrating His Birthday.

Judge E. T. Bailey of near Elmo, a member of the county court, which is in session, is celebrating his birthday today. He is 47 years old and was born in Leavenworth county, Kan. He came to Nodaway county in 1876 and has always been a resident of the Elmo vicinity.

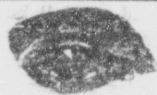
Swinging scaffold for painting barns, houses, silos and windmills. I am painting. John Lund, 115 South Market.

FOR SALE.

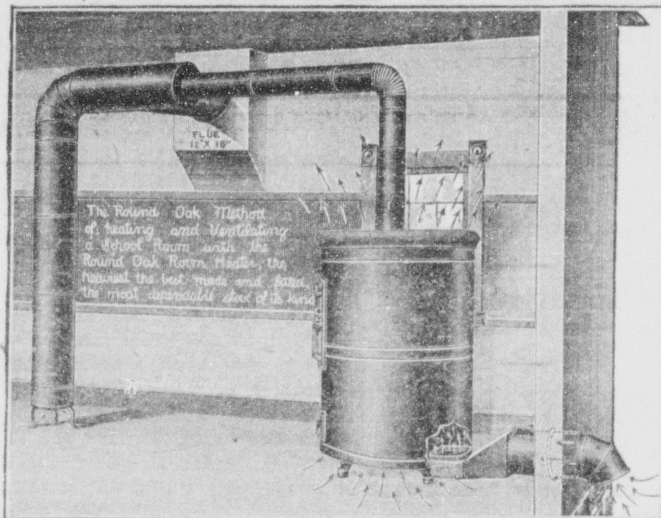
All kinds of feed and all kinds of seeds. Harness repaired and oiled. See me for prices on new harness. Cash paid for poultry, produce, cream and hides.

S. B. WILLIAMS, Arkoe, Mo.

PERFECT FITTING GLASSES



are assured you if you come to Cranes. Our expert optician will test your eyes free and fit them with the proper glasses. Prices reasonable. H. T. CRANE



THE one room that should be heated and ventilated the best—"The School Room" is in most cases the poorest. Then we wonder why under these conditions so many children have catarrh, and that most of the contagious diseases originate in the school room. You may say because of the children congregating there. Not necessarily so; ten miles out at sea germs cannot live, the air is so pure, and when breathed into the lungs produce health and vigor both in body and mind. These are conditions needed in the school room, and with uniform temperature in all parts of the room, and pure fresh air as produced by the **ROUND OAK SYSTEM** of school heating and ventilating, it becomes possible to have absolute sanitary conditions in the school room at all times, and the price is not prohibitory. Call and let us show you why this is true.

THE BUCKEYE HINGED STAY FENCE is built for service, top and bottom wire No. 9, stay and intermediate wire No. 11, and very heavy galvanized. We have in stock all standard widths. Get our prices.

H. C. BOWER
West Side Hardware

W. L. Robey says he has a bigger bean than either of the other two told about in this paper. One pod on his vines, he says, measures 28 1/2 inches.

Announce Birth of a Daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Gideon Gillidett announce the birth of a daughter yesterday. The baby is named Clella Marie.

Haines
MARYVILLE, MO.

THE HOME OF GOOD GOODS
AT THE LOWEST PRICES

Gone to Market

The boss, The advertising man, The sweeper, The decorator, The window washer, The buyer, The seller, The checker, The paymaster, The goods marker, General utility man and bureau of information—all in one has gone to the Mohawk Valley to buy Up-to-Date Merchandise for FALL AND WINTER to sell the people of Nodaway County at reasonable prices.

While the above person is away, he invites you to the store that "HAS IT CHEAPER," where you will find the most accommodating bunch of clerks ever assembled together in any one store and who will always be very anxious to please you.

This will be the only ad we will have while the above named person is out of town.

Come and see the New Goods
as they Begin to Arrive.

Get The Habit

Alderman-Yehle

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co.

West Third Street

Store News

No. 81.

Maryville, Mo.

Thursday, August 6, 1914.

Vacation Suggestions

Now that vacation time is here and you are busy making plans for your trip, let us help you by offering a few suggestions of articles you will need.

Trunks

In order to clean up our line of trunks we offer, for the next ten days, a reduction of 20% on all trunks from the small steamer to the large 38 inch size.

Suit cases and Traveling Bags

These are very necessary articles for the person taking a trip and we are in a position to supply your demands. We carry a very extensive line, from the Rattan and Imitation Leather to the Genuine Walrus in Black, and Tan, at from \$1.00 to \$20.00.

Traveling Sets

These are so convenient for the traveler that you cannot afford to be without them.

They are in Leather cases containing Tooth brush, Military brushes, Comb, Soap box, etc., in ebony, and ivory. Prices from \$3.50 to \$5.00.

Rubber Lined Cases

We have the Tapestry, and Silk rubber lined cases containing pockets for the different articles of travel as Tooth brushes, Wash cloths, Drinking cups, etc., at from 10c to \$2.00 each.

Pullman Slippers

Are just the thing to combine comfort and convenience. They come folded in a small leather case that can be carried in the hand bag, taking very little space. They are made in soft kid, and silk uppers with soft leather soles in black, tan, red, light blue, and pink. Just the thing for tired feet. Price \$1.25 pair.

Kodaks and supplies at Crane's.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

There is No Place Like Home, Sweet Home

And there is no place like **M. Nusbaum's Store**. It is now and has been a home for honest buyers for 41 years. There has been more good goods sold by us than any two present day firms and that isn't all, we are going to keep in the lead, by keeping the best goods. The kind that are warranted at the lowest prices. If you have never traded with us, begin now, we want you and want you to feel at home at our place of business. Some Special Bargains are offered this week in **Suits, Shoes, Hats and Shirts**. Come and examine them, all goods are warranted as represented or money refunded.

M. Nusbaum

SOCIETY AND CLUBLAND

KATE SCHENCK
Phones—Office 42 Home 683

Guests of the Bagbys.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Thull of Pickering were entertained yesterday at a dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bagby of 316 East Edwards street.

Ladies' Aid to Meet.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Buchanan Street Methodist church will hold its regular business meeting at the church at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon.

Eastern Star Social.

The Order of the Eastern Star will give an ice cream and cake social on the west side of the court house square park tonight. The proceeds are for the benefit of the chapter.

C. W. B. M. to Meet.

The C. W. B. M. of the First Christian church will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Rebecca Gray, 608 North Main street. There is important business to come before the members and all are urged to attend.

To Compliment Denver Guest.

Mrs. M. C. Cain and daughter, Hazel, of Wilcox gave a dinner Tuesday, entertaining Mrs. R. L. Key and her guest, Miss Martha E. Cain of Denver, Col. Miss Cain is a sister of Mrs. Key and will spend several weeks visiting at her home.

To Attend House Party.

Misses Helen Rose and Bernice Crawford left Wednesday for Shenandoah, Ia., to attend a house party given by Miss Margaret Lee Ralston, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ralston. The Misses Crawford returned Tuesday from a three weeks' visit with relatives at Grant City and Sheridan.

To Attend Family Reunion.

Mrs. Ralph Rhoades and daughter of Downs, Kan., arrived in Maryville last night to visit Mrs. Rhoades' parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Nixon. The visitors will remain to attend a family reunion of the nine Nixon children, which is to be held at the parental home on August 15.

Miss Kuchs Entertains.

Miss Katherine Kuchs gave a dinner Wednesday evening at which plates were laid for Miss Allie Jean Fraser and her guest, Miss Justine Ham of Council Bluffs, Ia.; Miss Virginia Rose, Miss Marie Reuillard, Miss Anna Balnum and the hostess. The guests were entertained with an over-night house party and breakfast this morning.

Neal Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Neal of 319 West Edwards street were the hosts of a dinner given yesterday in compliment to their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Wysong of Clinton, Mo. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Wysong, Mr. and Mrs. Smith and Miss Mildred Smith of Barnard, C. W. Strong of Pickering, John Collins, Miss Evelyn Collins, Richard Collins and Mr. and Mrs. Neal.

Gillespie-Gorton.

Miss Maude Gillespie of Shenandoah and Ivan Gorton of this city were married yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gillespie. The marriage ceremony was read by the Rev. Simpson, pastor of the Methodist church of Shenandoah. Mr. Gorton and his bride came to Maryville yesterday evening and will leave this evening for Barnard to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Gorton.

Entertained by Old Friends.

Mrs. Henry Kirby Taylor arrived in the city last night to visit until Saturday afternoon with old friends. She was entertained last night and for luncheon today by Mrs. J. B. Robinson, and will be the complimentary guest of a dinner this evening given by Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Peery. Tomorrow Mrs. Taylor will be a luncheon guest of Prof. and Mrs. H. P. Swinehart. Mrs. Taylor came from her home at Arlington, Texas, a couple of weeks ago and has been visiting her sister, Mrs. L. C. Gabbert of St. Joseph.

Suckow Family "at Home."

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Suckow of Tarkio have taken up their residence in Maryville and have leased one of the Hyslop flats on East Edwards street, where they are at home. The family includes one daughter, Miss Fernie Suckow. They are well known to a number of Maryville families, and the former Tarkio people now living in the city, and will be accorded a warm welcome into the Maryville circles. Mr. Suckow is to be head of the carpet department of the Alderman-Yehle dry goods store.

Parnell Girls Picnic.

Class No. 5 of the Methodist church of Parnell, which is known as the Faith Circle, gave a picnic Monday afternoon and evening in Chautauqua park.

(Continued on page 4.)

Worth The Money

Can you think of any form of recreation and entertainment where more is given for the price of a Season Ticket than at the

Great Nodaway Chautauqua

Which Will Be Held In

Normal Park, Aug. 15-23

SENATOR ROBERT LAFOLLETTE

One of the greatest men in our national life, will speak Tuesday afternoon, August 18. Would you not give the price of a season ticket to hear him, and especially at a time when there is so much of interest he will speak about.

DELANO'S U. S. MARINE BAND



One of the leading Concert Bands in America. In most any city you would gladly pay a dollar to hear one concert by an organization like this. Yet in buying a Season Ticket you hear them twice for about eight cents each time.



MAUDE BALLINTON BOOTH

Than whom there is no greater force for good in the world. Who has lifted hundreds of fallen and discouraged men to a new and useful life. Do you think that you could possibly miss hearing this wonderful woman when she is in your city.

These Are Only Three of The Many Good Things

All of which you can hear for the price of a SEASON TICKET . . . \$1.75
(After Next Saturday the Price Will be \$2.00)

AS A SOCIAL OCCASION

The Chautauqua is worth all it costs. You will meet on the Chautauqua Grounds the people really worth while, which is most everybody. There under ideal conditions you can renew old acquaintances, make a host of new friends and enjoy yourself. *Anyway you look at it, it is a good proposition.* Tickets now on sale at the Stores or of Solicitors, \$1.75 and \$1.00. Next week \$2.00 and \$1.25.

Some Tents Still Left

Mail Orders or Phone Orders Should be Sent to

W. M. OAKERSON
Secretary

P. O. LANDON
Manager Ticket Sale

FOR SALE

Nodaway county farms priced from \$80.00 up. If you are interested in a small acreage tract we have several to show you. We have some good residence properties well located that are priced right.

List Your Property Now As Our Prospective Buyers Will Be Coming In Soon.

During the month of August we have four excursions to the Carrott River Valley District. The richest part of Canada and will make a reduction of \$15.00 in fares on these excursions. Make arrangements to go and see this wonderful country.

The Peters Land Company
222½ North Main Maryville, Missouri

DIETZ and KECK
UP-TO-DATE TAILORS

REDUCTION SALE
20% Discount
ON ALL SUITINGS IN STOCK. BLUES AND BLACKS RESERVED

Spent Day Here.

M. A. Turner, who has been on the road for the past two months with the Turner trained animal shows, came down from Omaha last night to visit until tomorrow with Mrs. Turner.

On Month's Vacation.

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Bone left this morning for Brooklyn, Ia., to visit Mrs. Bone's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Lyke, after which they will go to Montezuma, Ia., to visit other relatives. They will return to Maryville about September 1.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS
THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold Metallic Cases, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

W. A. Sawyers and Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Curry of Hopkins visited in Maryville yesterday.

FOR SALE.

Farm, consisting of 74 acres, adjoining Burlington Junction, well improved second bottom; also 10-room modern house on South Buchanan street, two lots, or will sell lots separately. C. T. Barrow, Farmers phone 36-12.

Does Your Watch, Clock or Jewelry Need Repairing?
All Work Guaranteed
Prices Reasonable
CRANE'S
We Regulate Your Watch Free

NEWS OF SOCIETY
AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

(Continued from Page 3).

Games and amusements occupied the time until 6:30, when supper was served. The class was chaperoned by Miss Getha Conrad, and included Miss Lottie Bird, Miss Lena Miller, Misses Alva and Florence Fish, Miss Hazel Miller, Miss Elma Martin, Miss Zoe Duncan, Miss Verna Court, Miss Freecce, Miss Mattie Evans, Miss Beulah Hutcheson, Miss Grace Stiles, Miss Mary Chamberlain of Holton, Kan.; Miss Irma Anderson of Grant City and Miss Alma Lucas of Maryville.

Miss White Entertains.

Miss Clydell White was hostess at a pretty informal afternoon affair Tuesday, when she entertained the members of the Happy-Go-Lucky club at her country home, west of the city, complimentary to her guest, Miss Mabel Schaub of Atchison. The afternoon closed with a delicious lunch, served by the hostess, aided by her mother, Mrs. J. C. White. The guests were Miss Schaub, Misses Thelma and Persis Hunt, Miss Mary Sawyers, Miss Mina Everest, Miss Esther Tebow, Miss Mary Levitt, Miss Nellie Fisher and Miss Vesta Rogers. The next regular meeting of the club will be next week, on Tuesday afternoon, with the Misses Hunt.

Mrs. Dempsey Entertains Circle.

The Herron Homemaking Circle met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Dempsey, northwest of the city. The telling of stories and experiences, while the members cut out and pieced a quilt, took up the hours, and at its completion Mrs. Dempsey, assisted by her niece, Miss Mae Sturm, Mrs. I. E. Tebow and Miss Sarah Taylor, served refreshments. Those present were Mrs. J. N. Manley, Mrs. Nellie Manley, Mrs. Virgil Guthrie, Mrs. S. E. Fisher, Mrs. J. C. P. Taylor, Mrs. R. Neidel, Mrs. I. E. Tebow, Mrs. Harvey Cockayne, Mrs. Walter Taylor, Miss Sarah Taylor, Miss Mary Taylor, Miss Esther Neidel, Miss Grace Fisher and Mrs. Winecoop of Nebraska, who is a guest at the Tebow home. The next meeting will be held August 25, at the home of Mrs. S. E. Fisher.

Surprise For Mr. and Mrs. Hefflin.

One of the most pleasant affairs enjoyed by the Wilcox folk was last Sunday, when the members of the Christian Sunday school planned and carried out a surprise on their superintendent and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Hefflin. At the conclusion of the Sunday service the Hefflins were detained at the church by a few of the crowd, while the rest, taking well filled baskets, hurried to the country home of the Hefflins, where a picnic dinner was spread. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Hefflin, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Osborn, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Shell and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mendenhall and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Moore and family, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Moore and family, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Ashford and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Holt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Al Taylor and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Lockhart and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elthu Shell and family, Mrs. J. T. Patterson and daughter, Misses Mabel and Jennie Duncan, Mrs. Onstott and daughter, Lida, Miss Bernice Duncan, Miss Edith Holt of Maryville, Misses Sarah and Thelma Garrett, George Moore, William Garrett, Robert Patterson and Dale Hughes.

Rebekahs to Meet.

The Wilcox Rebekah lodge will have initiatory exercises Friday night and all members are urged to be present.

Surprise Party For Teacher.

Class No. 6 of the Christian church of Pickering arranged a very pleasant surprise party last night in honor of their teacher, C. R. Harmon, in the event of his forty-second birthday anniversary. About forty-five guests were present.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

Local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflammation of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a running sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflammation of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

P. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI LAND.

I am the owner of improved farms from 40 acres up to 1,200 acres, located in the fertile bottoms of southeast Missouri. Write me your wants, calling for my illustrated circular describing and picturing each of my farms. Prices \$35.00 and up.

GEORGE BEGLEY, JR.,
Owner, Poplar Bluff, Mo.

Rags, Rags, Rags!

Bring in your old rags. They must be free from lint. Deliver to this office.

GERMANS

REPULSED
AT LIEGEBelgians Drive Back
Invaders.

REGIMENTS DESTROYED

Whole Platoon of Prussian Cavalry Almost Annihilated.

ONE SQUADRON REPULSES SIX

Vise Burned and Many of the Residents Are Shot.

WAR NEWS SUMMARIZED.

The capture of a number of German steamers by the British is reported and the British cruiser Amphion has sunk the Hamburg-American line steamer Koenigin Luise, recently converted into mine layer.

Russian frontier patrols have penetrated ten miles into Germany.

Germany, according to report lacking official confirmation, current in London, has sent ultimatum to Italy.

Rush of men at British recruiting offices to volunteer for war.

Firing of heavy guns heard off coast of Maine.

The German cable was cut between Europe and the Azores.

King George called for volunteers for the army.

German troops are reported to have entered Dutch and Swiss territory.

Russian warships have captured a number of German merchant vessels in the Black sea.

Brussels, Aug. 6.—Several thousand dead and wounded is the toll paid by the Germany army of the Meuse for its attack on Liege. The Belgians made a heroic defense, repulsing the Germans after heavy and continuous fighting.

The fortified position of Liege had to support the general shock of the German attack. The Belgian forts resisted the advance fiercely and did not suffer. One Belgian squadron attacked and drove back six German squadrons.

Eight hundred wounded Germans are being transferred to the city of Liege, where they will be cared for.

Prior to the attack on Liege, General von Emmich, commanding the German army of the Meuse, issued a proclamation calling for an open road through Belgium for his troops, suggesting that prudence would show it the duty of the Belgian people to accede to this in order to avoid the horrors of war.

The Germans committed repressions against the civil population of the town of Vise, eight miles northeast of Liege, burning the city and shooting many of the residents.

According to Le Soir under the treaty between France and Belgium, King Albert will command the Franco-Belgian troops operating in Belgium. King Albert has placed his palace at the disposal of the Red Cross.

A newspaper asserts that in the fighting between Germans and Belgians near Vise, a platoon of Prussian cavalry was almost annihilated by the enfilading fire of the Belgians from a building on the bank of the river. The Prussians, in revenge, the newspaper says, fired in citizens.

Two regiments of German Uhlans have been destroyed by the Belgian army, according to an official announcement given out by the French war office.

London, Aug. 6.—It is reported that Germany has sent an ultimatum to Italy. The report lacks official confirmation, but is regarded here as not improbable. There have been rumors that Italy, owing to the strong antagonism existing between Austrians and Italians, was likely to break away from the triple alliance and declare itself on the side of England.

First Fruits of War.
London, Aug. 6.—The first fruits of the war are several German vessels brought into harbor by British cruisers and others impounded in port. This was the day's only news so far as British naval and military operations were concerned.

The German embassy has been granted a special train and cruiser to take the staff to a Holland port. A notice on the door, "American embassy," has been posted when the American secretary, Irwin B. Laughlin, temporarily assumed charge of the premises.

Kaiser Sends an Ultimatum to His Hesitating Ally.

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GEORGE V. AND CHURCHILL.

England's Ruler and First Lord of Admiralty, Who Have Entered Struggle.



Photos by American Press Association.

BIG BATTLES OF THE
WAR A WEEK AWAY

Little Credence Placed In Reports of Sea Fight.

London, Aug. 6.—The plan of campaign of the various nations at war are being developed with methodical deliberation, and military authorities here are of the opinion that the alleged fighting on the Russo-German and Franco-German frontiers has consisted of nothing but skirmishes between reconnoitering bodies of troops. They point out that it will take at least another week for the main armies of Germany, France and Russia to get into position for decisive struggle.

It is known, however, that severe fighting is in progress in Belgium between the Belgians and Germans, and it has been reported that 80,000 Germans have been repulsed near Liege, although the Belgian war minister only permits himself to say in his official reports that the Belgians are successfully meeting the German invaders. Little credence is placed in authoritative quarters here in the alleged authentic information from Algiers in regard to the sinking or capture of German warships in the Mediterranean.

RESCUE GOLD SHIP READY

Tennessee to Sail With \$2,500,000 For Stranded Americans Abroad.

Washington, Aug. 6.—Relief measures for the 100,000 Americans in Europe were put into practical operation. President Wilson signed the bill passed by congress appropriating \$2,500,000 for the financial assistance of Americans abroad. The gold will be taken from the subtreasury in New York to the armored cruiser Tennessee, which sails tonight for the principal ports of Europe to distribute it.

Negotiations were begun for the chartering of several big Italian steamships, together with thirty-nine American vessels, ordinarily used in coastwise trade, will provide facilities for as many thousands as care to come home.

Germans Execute Belgian Civilians.

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WANTS

Classified ads running three days or more one-half cent per word for each insertion; minimum rate 25c for three days. Interrupted insertions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

WANTED—A boy at city newsstand. 6-8

HOUSE TO RENT—Inquire R. L. McDougal. 4-10

STAR THEATER for sale at a bargain if taken at once. See L. A. Cook. 6-11

WANTED—Second-hand sacks, Will pay \$3 per hundred for good sound sacks. R. S. Braniger. 4-6

FOR SALE OR RENT—Good 5-room house and good barn. Inquire 410 South Vine street. 6-12

BARN FOR SALE—Size 24x16. See A. W. Hawkins. 5-7

STANDARD PLUMBING CO., per manently of Maryville. Honest plumbing at honest prices. Some worse none better.

FOR RENT—Three front rooms, furnished, 3 blocks from square, modern, light, heat and water furnished. Inquire this office. 6-8

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, good as new. Atwater-Kent igniting system, two new casings, 1913 model. Inquire this office. 6-8

IT'S CLEAN-UP TIME—See D. Becker for cleaning and pressing. The Dothra Doctor, at 209½ North Main.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle 1,500. Market steady.
Hogs 6,000. Market 10c to 15c higher. Top \$8.90.

Sheep 6,000. Market 10c higher.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle 1,000. Market steady.
Hogs 1,000. Market steady. Top \$8.50.

Sheep 2,000. Market steady.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle 325. Market steady.
Hogs 1,000. Market steady. Top \$8.00.

Sheep 1,700. Market steady.

LETTER LIST.

Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in the Maryville, Mo., postoffice for the week ending Wednesday, August 5th, 1914:

Gentlemen.

Barry, John.
Fabley, Perry.
Lorabee, J. L.
Pyle, L. E.
Richards, Frank.

Ladies.

Chandler, Mrs. John M.
Fine, Miss Rose.
Kerlin, Mrs. Susie.
Long, Miss Laura.
Miller, Miss Dora.
Morris, Miss Zoe.

Persons calling for the above named letters will please say "advertised."
JAMES TODD, Postmaster.

Caught Under Engine Wheels.

Elmer Fine of Siam, who has been out with a threshing crew this season, met with a very painful accident on a steep hill near Siam last Monday. He was running the engine when something about the machinery gave way and the big machine backed down the incline.

Elmer jumped from the cab but slipped when he struck the ground, allowing the big wheel of the engine to pass over his right leg, breaking the bones and mashing the limb very badly.

Dr. Powers of Siam was called but the injury was so serious that he deemed it advisable to take the injured man to the hospital at Clarinda before anything was done.

Late reports say that Mr. Fine is getting along as well as can be expected.

This family has been very unfortunate in working around threshing machines, Clyde, a brother of Elmer, losing his life six or seven years ago by being mangled when he fell into a machine separator.—Hopkins Journal.

Hopkins Young Man in Bad.

According to the Clarinda Herald a young man who said he lived near Hopkins, Mo., got the worst of it on a train out of Creston last Friday—an unlucky day, you know. While on the train, the said young man happened to spy a pretty girl in whom no one seemed interested. He went up to her and did the masher act. She responded charmingly. He was happy until a full bearded man came and took the young lady by the arm, thanking the young gentleman politely for having made the task of taking a weak minded creature to the Independence hospital easier than he had dared to hope. The incident, it is believed, has cured the young man of the "mashing" habit.

AUTO LIVERY,

At the Fisher & McMurtry Garage,
114-116 West Fourth.

Calls answered day and night. Careful driving. Hanamo phone 25; Farmers phone 71.

John Bosch.

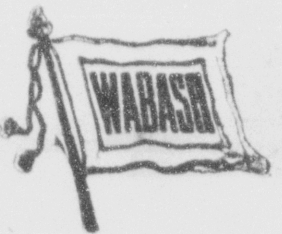
4% ON SAVINGS DEPOSITS
DEPOSITS OF ONE DOLLAR AND UPWARDS RECEIVED IN OUR SAVINGS DEPARTMENT
INTEREST PAID TWICE A YEAR
Oldest Bank in the County

Nodaway Valley Bank

A BANK FOR SAVINGS

MARYVILLE MISSOURI

FOLLOW THE FLAG



**Short Limit
Summer Fares**
TO
Eastern and St. Lawrence River Points

From Maryville and Return

To Boston and New York \$40.55
\$44.60

DETROIT.....\$25.60
TORONTO.....\$28.35
BUFFALO.....\$29.55
MONTREAL.....\$34.95
QUEBEC.....\$38.95

WABASH

Get particulars about these and other Summer Tourist Fares to Western Points.

E. L. FERRITOR, Agent